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## Strength of Anglo-Soviet Alliance Re-Emphasised

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LONDON, Aug. 31 (Reuter).—"We will fight to the end until Hitlerite Germany is utterly and completely crushed," said M. Ivan Maisky, Soviet Ambassador, speaking to-day.

"My people are fighting heroically and with the greatest determination. They are building no half-way course." Declaring that his people had not the slightest doubt of the final issue, M. Maisky asked, "But what of the price?" He went on: ."The Soviet people have already sustain-

ed many losses and sacrifices in men, material and territory with the possibility of future losses and sacrifices. But everyone of them knows and everyone here knows that the closest possible military, economic and political co-operation between the peoples of Britain and the Soviet Union is the way to reduce those sacrifices to as low a level as possible."

# PROBABLE PEACE TERMS FOR IRAN

Transit Facilities Sought

SIMLA, Aug. 31 (Reuter) .- Provision that the Iranian Government should facilitate the transit of supplies and war material through Iran to Russia will, according to well-informed circles here, form part of the basis of the terms which will probably be offered to the Iranian Government shortly.

the Allied Governments will

German Community

It will probably be pointed out that

Probably the Iranian troops will

have to withdraw from certain areas

will be admitted into the country.

these rumours are unfounded."

-rising into the air. \_\_\_\_

exploded.

"Two ships, one of 8,000 tons

and the other of 5,000 tons, were

vessels was later seen to be

ablaze from stem to stern.

Some time later a small ship

"Hits were also scored on another

medium-sized ship, which sub-

sequently started burning.

R.A.F. Raid

And Destroy Ships

the R.A.F. carried out heavy raids on Tripoli during the night

of August 29-30," says to-night's R.A.F. communique from the

Middle East. "Some 25 tons of bombs were-dropped and at the

end of the bombing, the whole of the Spanish Quay was on-fire

with great clouds of black smoke-apparently from an oil store

CAIRO, Aug. 31 (Reuter) .- "The Bomber Command of

Premier's Statement

if the Iranian Government are now

### KONOYE'S MESSAGE

Adjustment Wanted

TOKYO, Aug. 31 (Reuter) the policy of Britain and Russla Is Prince Konoye's message to that they have no designs against President Roosevelt is given the independence of Iran; her terriprominence in the Japanese and there will also be re-affirmed Embassy believed that there is a and there will also be re-affirmation possibility of a Japanese-American press as the opening of diploma- that the measures to be taken are rapprochement at present which will baysador, Mr John Gauss, had tic negotiations for settling the not directed against Iran herself but quieten the Pacific situation temoutstanding questions between the political activities of Germans Japan and the United States. established in key positions through-

The "Chugai Shogo" declares out the country. that it'is clear that the United States does not want a war in the Pacific as already emphasised by various American leaders.

The newspaper expresses the bellef reason why any hostilities should that as Prince Konoye's message was continue. personally addressed to President |. Roosevelt, Japanese and American relations are being thoroughly re- in northern and southwestern Iran studied and the United States Govof the European war is becoming rapidly a world war.

#### Continuity

The "Yomiuru Shimbun" declares that Japan's policy in the Pacific is i based on the principle that Japan and the United States should not come to blows, Prince- Konoye's message was intended to remove misunderstanding between Japan and statement that "by to-morrow the the United States. Emphasis, how- situation will be satisfactorily cleared Pacific crisis to a head sometime in ever, is laid on the continuity of the up" and a warning against rumours September. Japanese policy.

The "Hochi Shimbun" declares Furughi, at a session of the Iranian that this policy remains "immutable" Government this morning, according while the "Chugal Shogo" asserts to the Teheran Radio, that adjustment of outstanding questions between the two countries is "only possible when the establish stage" and would soon reach a satistile developments. ment of greater East Asian pro- factory conclusion, Mr Furughi added ? sperity is recognised."

LATEST

# PEACE OR WAR IN PACIFIC. DECISION Special to the "Telegraph"

日十初月七

SHANGHAI, Aug. 31 (UP).—Japan is facing the most critical period since she signed the tripartite alliance, and the results of the current Japanese-American conversations may determine for the Konoye Government the possibility of whether there shall be war or peace in the Pacific.

This was the unanimous opinion expressed to-day by the first American arrivals from Japan since the furore created by the charges that the Japanese were detaining Americans as hostages. The arrivals included members of the Consulate staff on home leave to the United States as well as army and navy language officers.

They said that the Japanese while the more radical elements In return, it is probable that are clamouring for swift action to break the economic and miliundertake to continue payments tary encirclement forcibly. of all oil royalties, facilitate the

supply of economic necessities such as food and piece-goods to officials in Tokyo frankly admit that Iran and, as soon as the military Japan may be at the turning point situation permits, will withdraw in her foreign policy, while official Without Policy Change their forces from Iranian terri- German circles are not showing any tory. Other terms are likely to be that

#### Rapprochement Possible

Members of the United States porarily; however, they are no cptimistic whether any long range agreement to which the Japanese would adhere could be possible United States attitude toward prepared to co-operate there is no

#### The Alternatives

which will temporarily be occupied the Roosevelt-Nomura conversations; hill on the south bank of the ernment are giving careful study to by Soviet and British forces respect however, they said that Japanese Yangtse, when a bomb fell 150 officials are most hopeful that the The German community, with the negotiations would be successful in yards away. possible exception of bona fide permitting the resumption of trade, Although the house was damaged, members of their Legation and a ending the current economic impasse nobody was injured, despite the fact small number of technicians, will and enabling the Konoye civilian that no air raid shelter is available have to leave Iran, probably within Government to retain its power. A at this spot, one week. Thereafter, no Germans failure in the negotiations would result in the overthrow of the Cabinet went to the cottage which is in the and the establishment of a complete so-called "safety area" in order to military Cabinet which would be like- escape the unticipated interruptions LONDON, Aug. 31 (Reuter).—A ly to move precipitately either to the caused by the raids. south or north, possibly bringing the

> was given by the Prime Minister, Mr. After stating that "our discussions trated by the fact that the Cabinet ties. Mr Vaught's home and mission and actions have reached a clearer informed the Emperor constantly of schools in Chungking were previously

> that "many untrue and forged pieces The Japanese navy is at present | Approximately, 200 Japanese bomalternative except a military Govern- damage. He said that there was a plentiful ment which would act very swiftly supply of bread and meat "though of either to the north or south dependcourse if each person buys ten pounds ing on the developments of the of bread instead of one, the Govern- Russo-German war and that the navy army expansion programme.

> > "Three fires broke out on Kara-

another extensive fire.

# It was stated that the German officials in Tokyo frankly admit that

U. S. Embassy Staff Bombed In Chungking SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

CHUNGKING, Aug. 31 (UP). -Members of the American Embassy, including the Amnarrow escapes during to-day's savage Japanese air raid on Chungking,

Mr Gauss, together with the view of the fact that Japan is com- First Secretary, Mr John Carter mitted to an expanding empire policy Vincent, the Second Secretary, which is incompatible with the Mr Everett Drumright, the cible measures aimed at acquiring Third Secretary, Mr John S. territorial and economic hegemony. Service and other members of the staff, were working at their the staff, were working at their headquarters at the Standard Premier Of These Americans left Japan before Oil cottage on the top of the

Members of the Embassay staff

Mission School Damaged Bombs destroyed the home of Mr Arnold Vaught of Chicago, who is They said that although Japan had head of the Friends' Mission, and surrounded the previous negotiations also wrecked the Mission school, with the closest secrecy, the import- classrooms, dining rooms and dormiance attached to them was demons- tory; however, there were no-casualdestroyed on May 4, 1930 by Japanese

of news are current and it is even supporting the Conservatives such as bern raided the Szechwan areas said that groups of peoples are leav- Baron Hiranuma in the Cabinet, to-day, of which 27 attacked Chunging the capital. I want to assure however, it is said that the Japanese king and the western suburbs this Parliament that there is no danger to are convinced that if the present morning, unloading hundreds of Teheran or the Government and all negotiations fail there will be no bombs, but with apparently little

#### Japanese Story

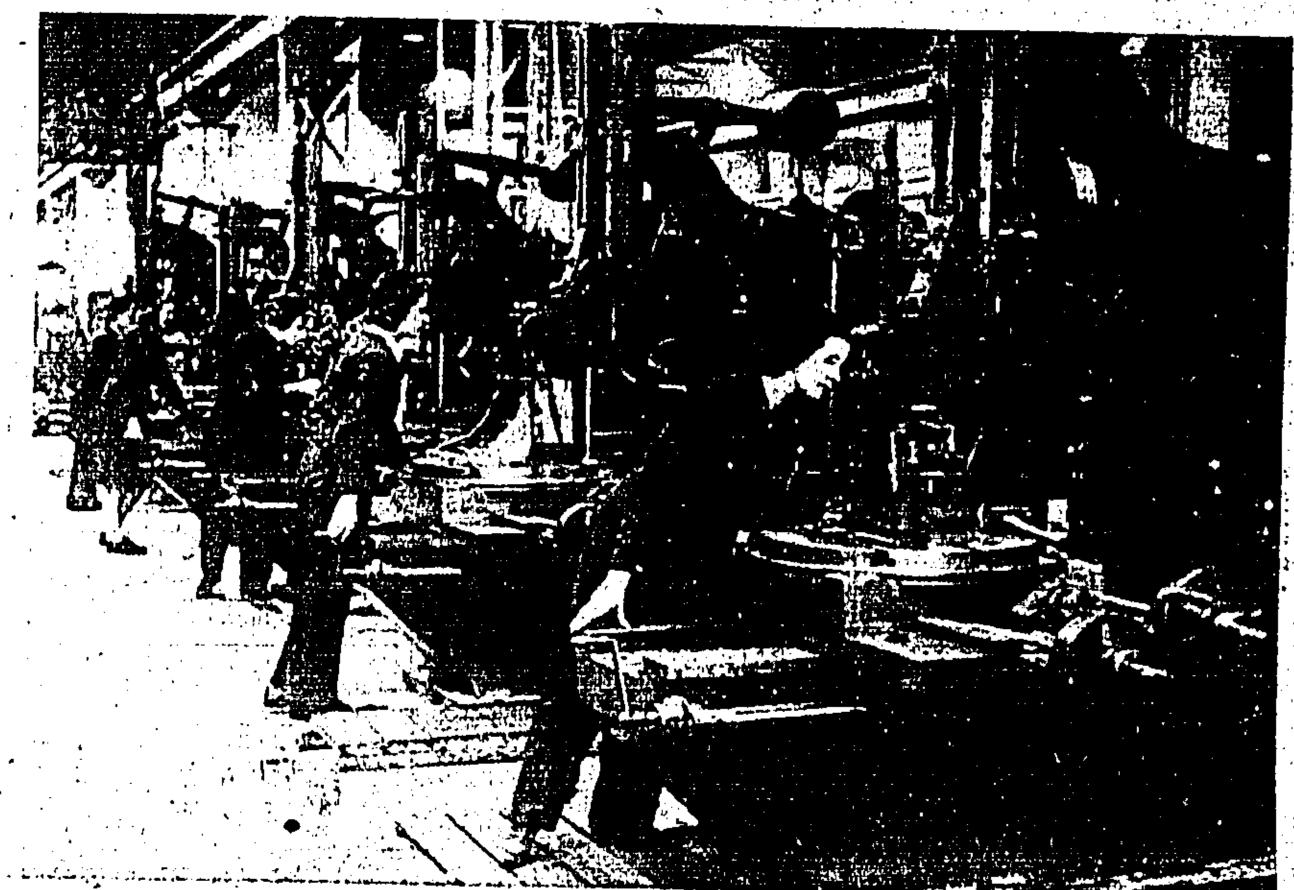
According to a Shanghal message, the Japanese Central China Fleet ment will be faced with some difficul- would then be forced to support an headquarters claimed that smashing attacks were carried out on important panied by Mr U Sin Tut, senior Chungking bases as well as at Hengyangi Changsha, Langshultan and as the adviser. Chuchow in Hunan and Lingchwan in Kwangsi.

Naval bombers scored direct hits on the headquarters of the Ninth Route Army in the Changsha district. Lanchow was very severely bombed while on Friday, Slanyang in Shensi was raided and on Saturday Chungking was heavily bombed.

sames which were visible from a -The Congress on Friendship great distance rose hundreds of feet and Aid to Russia passed a hit and set on fire. One of these Into the air. The first spread along the Mole to a petrol depot where an resolution urging - Australian l explosion took place followed by representation at all Anglo-Soviet talks in which the Pacific "Other small fires were observed and the Middle East are involved Fraser, former British Military tive spokesman while only one munique mildly rebukes another on the quayside and loading wharves, and also an exchange of Am"Reconnaissance on the following and also an exchange of Amday showed a merchaniman of 8,000 bassadors and military, naval the Military Attache's office of the diction TORN to Back Page, Column 5 and air missions with the Soviet. British Embassy here.

# At War Work

into the factories to help in the British war effort. This picture shows girls tank guns at a Ministry of



# Britain's Power After Two Years Of Bitter Struggle

LONDON, Aug. 31 (Reuter).—In the following article specially written on the second anniversary of the war, "Reuter's" Military Commentator reviews the development of Britain's military strength during the past two years:

# Burma To

LONDON, Aug. 31 (Reuter). -The Premier of Burma, the Hon. Mr. U. Saw will shortly visit Britain. He will convey personally to the Government and people of Britain a message of goodwill from the Government and people of Burma.

since 1939 and Premier since 1940. Shortly after becoming Premier, he issued a statement outlining the l policy of his Ministry, stating that he would try to secure the greatest good for the greatest number and he appealed to all classes and communities in Burma to unite in the common task.

Burma's geographical position gives her a great and growing importance in the Far East. As a neighbour of China she has for some time past been the main channel through which goods from abroad can reac the Chinese.

Burma's Premier will be accom official of the Civil Scrvice in Burma

#### ENEMY TRICK **NEWS**

Invasion Barges

LONDON, Aug. 31 (Reuter).-The story of the dispersal of enemy barges which has been given out over the enemy controlled radio should be treated with the greatest reserve it is pointed out in authorita-To Russia live quarters who add that it might well be a piece of propaganda. The barges supposed to have been manli Mole and from one of them, SYDNEY, Aug. 31 (Reuter). Gispersed were mose a dispersed were those along the.

CHUNGKING, Aug. 31 (Reuter),-It is learned that Colonel Loyat- muniques or by the authorita-

When Britain took up the challenge of the Nazis, who set forth on the march to dominate the world two years ago, her military position was extremely weak. Her strength has enormously increased since then though it has still some way to go before reaching full power.

sary for war. All the territorial Chinese land mines. units lacked training.

Vital garrisons on our communications all over the world equally were on an insufficient scale. We had Mr U Saw has been a Minister some difficulty in equipping even a token force to go to France and this was submerged by the flood which temporarily destroyed France in May and June last year,

Owing to the heroic efforts of our Navy and Air Force; we rescued most of our men but lost the whole of their equipment. Norway and Greece further depleted our resources, We extricated ourselves from this

extremely critical situation, however, by the splendld fighting of our Air Force and the bold and resolute met dangers under the inspiring stating that according to informalendership of Mr Winston Churchill and also by the whole-hearted manner in which the people responded to Turkish and Bulgaro-Turkish fron-TURN to Back Page, Column 5 tiers.

#### Troop\_Train\_In\_ Anhwei Wrecked

LIHUANG, Aug. 31 (Central News). — Over 200 Japanese troops were killed and wounded as the result of a train accident When Hitler started the war on the Hwai-Nan Railway in by his unprovoked invasion of northern Anhwei last week Poland, the British Army was when a Japanese troop train was weak in numbers and equally dynamited near the Shuantungdeficient in the equipment neces- | chih Station after striking

> The locomotive was overturned and completely wrecked, while four coaches were thrown off the tracks and badly damaged. Material losses sustained by the Japanese were estimated to total over \$500,000. Truffle on the Railway was interrupted for three days as a result of

#### Concentrations Of Italian Troops

the incident.

MOSCOW, Aug. 31 (Reuter).-Prominence is given in the Soviet face with which the people of Britain press to a report date-lined Geneva tion received there, Italian troops are being concentrated on the Greco-

# Unreliable Japanese Keports on Thailand

("Reuter's" Special Correspondent)

BANGKOK, Aug. 31.—The frequency with which the Thai live quarters who add that it might Government have lately felt obliged to issue official denials of rumours has aroused widespread comment in political quarters.

An analysis shows that that | "Absolutely devoid of truth" is in the last few weeks no less the Thai Government commuthan 16 press reports from eso allegation that British and Japanese sources have been American Ministers in Bangkok have either flatly denied in com- threatened economic pressure against Thailand unless she ceased trade Attache, who is present in India, will report from non-Japanese Japanese daily for the suggestion that after Iran, Thailand will be the next victim of Anglo-American

#### See Back Page For Further Late News .-

#### DUCK DONALD

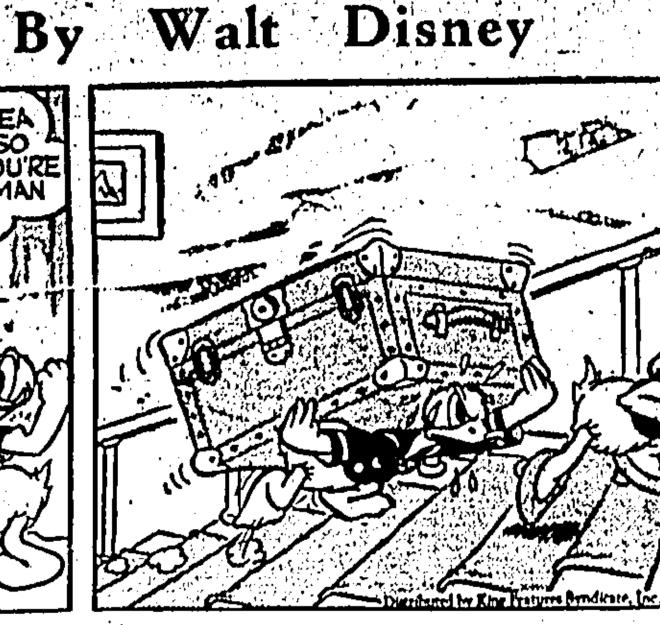






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pasted on back of entry. of the entries is reserved to the Hongkong Telegraph.

have been taken in the Colony of Hongkong. Photographs which have been already entered in other Competitions are ineligible.

d.—No responsibility will be accepted for non-delivery of, loss of, or damage to entries. 7,—All entries to be either black, sepia, or toned pictures, and must be mounted. Coloured photographs are ineligible.

s. Pictures submitted in septa tones abould be accompanied by a smaller print in black and white. 0.-No picture to entered in more than one Section.

10,-Mounts to be only white or cream. must be of one of the following sizes:—10×12, 15×20.

11.—No correspondence will be entered into in connection with the Com-

12. Members of the Staffs of the Hongkong Telegraph and the South China Morning Post are not permitted to compete. 13.—The decision of the Judges shall

14.-At the conclusion of the Competition, entries will be returned to competitors on application at the Telegraph offices within seven

10.—The use of alleses is strictly forbidden.

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The Army Authorities have attempted to provide for all needs, Government House to Garden | varying from psychology to bootmaking. To meet various demands the assistance of the Hongkong Government Education services has been sought and freely given. In addition, the co-operation of a number of leading firms in the Colony has proved of great value.

> So far as possible the instructors have been found within the Army, but so popular are some of the courses, particularly in certain languages, wireless telegraphy and commercial subjects, that classes have had to be duplicated and additional teachers from the civil ranks (including several ladles) have come in

There are more than 40 courses dealing with 30 different subjects, and 77 separate classes are held each week. Many students are having to wait their turn, but at present there are more than 500 men receiving Instruction.

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The scheme is expanding, and Queen's Pier and the when the cool weather comes an increase in the number of students may be expected. In the hot weather and after a hard day's work it requires much enthusiasm to settle down to books-but the enthusiasm

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gramme Summary. 1.02 Compositions of Haydn. Quartet In G Major, Op. 64, No. 4, Pro Arte Quartet (String Quartet); With Verdure Clad (From "The Creation"), Helene Ludolph (Soprano) with Orch.; Menuet, Pau Casals ('Cello) with Piano accomp. 1.30 Reuter and Rugby. Press and Announcements.

1.45 Danco Music. 2.15 Close Down. 6.0 Indian Programme. 6.45 Closing Local Stock Quota-

6.47 Schumann-Trio In D Minor, Cortot, Thibnud and Casals (Instr.

Trio). 7.18 Viennese Orchestras. 7,48" Sandy MacPherson at Orkan. 8.0 London Relay-The News.

8.15 London Relay-War Commentary. London... Relay - 'Listening Post'. German Propaganda.

8.30 Programme Summary. 8.32 Old. Time Variety. Orchestral-The Gay Nineties-Waltz Medley; Vocal-Billy Merson and 26 persons were injured...

A Variation of Variety: Memories; Vocal and Orchestral-Medley of James Tate's Songs. 8.50 Plano Ducts by Rawicz and 9.0 Local Time Signal and

> 0.02 This week's programmes 9.05 Studio-"Pencil Please." A Variation of Variety produced

by Leonard Starbuck. 0.45-10.0 News in French Short Wave only). 9.45 Light Orchestral Selections.

10.0 London Relay-The News and 10.15 Dance Music. 11.0 London-"News From Home"

11.15 Close Down.

#### FIRING **PRACTICES**

Firing practice as under is notified for to-day.

(a) Heavy gun practice between the hours of 9 a.m. and 6 p.m. Firing areas "B" and "C" will be affected. Alternative dates, September 2 and 3; (b) Light gun practice between the hours of 6 p.m. and 12 midnight. Firing areas "D" and "E" will be affected.

Light gun firing practice will bo the carried out to-morrow, and on September 3 and 5, between the hours of 6 p.m. and 12 midnight. Firing areas "D" and "E" will be affected.

In the Colony of Hongkong, in-Examination of Points in Dally cluding the Island, Kowloon and New Territories, during the week ending Saturday, August 23, there were al- Indian legislative offices, and was together 96 traffic accidents as the one of India's delegates to the Imresult of which one person was killed perial Conference in London in 1926.

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Calcutta, Aug. 30. The death of Sir Bijay Chand Mahtab. Maharajadhiraja Bahadur of Burdwan is announced to-day, thus removing the head of the senior Hindu house in Bengal and one of India's most distinguished citizens. The Maharaja travelled widely in Europe and had held a number of

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The Printed Matter Service to the following places in China is temporarily suspended:-Yunnan, Szehuen, Kweichow, Hunan, Fukien (except Amoy and Kulangsu), Kwangel North and East of (wangtung.

Small Packet Post to all countries is suspended.

INWARD AIR MAILS Air Mail by "Pan American Airways, Direct Service"-San Francisco date, 4th September ..... Sept. 11. Air Mail by 'Pan American Airways Direct Service"-San Francisco date, 16th September ... Sept. 23.

OUTWARD AIR MAILS Monday, Sept. 1 Air Mall by Air to Rangoon to connect with the 'British Overseas Airways.

K.P.O. and G.P.O. Reg. ..... Sept., 1, 4 p.m. Ord. ..... Sept., 1, 4.30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 5 Air Mail by Air to Rangoon to con-

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Ord. ...... Sept. 11, 7 p.m. Tuceday, Sept. 23 Air Mail for Manila, Guam, Honolulu, U.S.A. and Europe via "Pan-American Airways and Trans-Atlantic Services."

-Reg. ..... Sept. 23, 5 p.m. Ord. ..... Sept. 23, 5,30 p.m. G.P.O. Reg. ..... Sept. 23, 5 p.m.

Ord. ......Sept. 23, 7 p.m.

## St. Dunstan's

Needs Your Help

... for the curtain of lifelong darkness has failen; but there also is hope, for they are learning to be blind, and soon will go out into the world useful, confident and happy citizens."

(Sir Ian Fraser-Chairman of St. Dunetan's.) -

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St. Dunstan's, Hon. Treasurer, Brilish War Organisation Fund. c/o Hongkong & Bhanghai Banking Corporation.



#### August 24

of this type in the Far East—were help to our united war effort panies not to allow their ships to call carried out, when they more than lived invaluable." up to their reputation for speed and

of 76.8 h.p., developing 240 brake h.p. however, \$1.25 a pound. not troubled by any hill in the Colony, and oranges are cheaper.

With its powerful siren clearing a ones being 84 cents a dozen. one of the machines went from the of August 16 in brackets, were: Central Fire Station to the waterfront near the China Fleet Club, where hoses were connected, and the pumping qualities tested.

Seating accommodation is provided for four other persons besides the driver in the cab of the fire engine, while there is standing room for four or more firemen at the rear. For night driving, the siren works automatically with a flashed warning lamp which is mounted on the bonnet.

tion hoses. The swivelled monitor is Fund. detachable and can be operated on a fire float. Each machine also carries immediately on reaching the scene.

supervision of Mr J. C. Fitz Henry, raise the cost of the squadron. Chief Officer of the Fire Brigade, and On August 20, a telegram was dis-Mr E. F. Brown, mechanical engineer, patched to the Minister for Aircraft It is understood that two of the en-

gines will be stationed at the Central Fire Station, one in Wanchal, and the Squadron." other in Kowloon.

turn in carrying clubs for members. bers of the Club giving caddles "cum- quire a further £28,100, making the shaw" after rounds—a practice which required total of £180,000." is strictly against the rules. On Friday, two members, well-known for giving substantial "cumshaw" at the end of the old caddles went out classifications to the rund have en-This was objected to by some of the earnor to the pritish Govern- \$110. newer and younger caddles. The two leaving a balance of approximately culprits were discharged on the spot, £24,000 needed to make up the reand at their agitation the rest of the

caddles went on strike. It was learned to-day that the strike and been settled, the caddles returning is hoped that every section of the

the triangular piece of land in the Governor received a telegram from the centre of Bonham Strand, close to the Secretary of State for the Colonies, centre of Bonham Strand, close to the Secretary of State for the Colonies, old Western Market, is now to be the expressing gratification at the generous site of a two-storey public latrine, flow of contributions from subscribers Construction work is well under way of the South China Morning Post and the whole structure will be comploted in approximately three months, celved another telegram on the same Inquiries revealed that the majority day from Lieut, Colonel Moore of the fruit stall owners have either duction with the fruit stall owners have either duction. of the fruit stall owners have closed duction, who also conveyed grateful sought sites elsewhere or have closed thanks, expressing the hope that the down business entirely,

would hardly be inconvenienced by the squadron will go into service to bear disappearance of the stalls as there witness to the generosity of the outwere others in the Western Market post of the Empire whose name it will which is close by. On the other hand, bear." which is close by. On the other hand, Swimming Championships. The it was pointed out that the demolition European Y.M.C.A. Swimming Championships would go some way in pionships began this evening when two relieving the congestion of traffic prorelieving the congestion of traine pro-ceeding to and from the busy centre alubtares and seeding to and from the busy centre of Nam Pak Hong. The fruit "market" eight-year-old mark was equalled. has for many years been something of

persons have been allowed to quit the secs. to lower Wilson's former time by two seconds. Wilson clocked 80% secs. Mr G. F. Gilbert, with effect from August 15; Mr C. R. Wilson, with effect had little practice this season, was

effect from August 20. have been re-asigned from the Com- men's 220 yards free-style champion-batant Group to the Key-Posts Group ship which May won in 2 mins 43% in the Hongkong Defence Reserve. sees, equalling the record established District Officer North, Mr John by H. G. (Bert) Lange in 1933. There Barrow, District Officer, North, Hong, was little in the race after the first kong, is appointed Commissioner to administer oaths and take declarations, affirmations and attestations of honour connection with the succession to property on death within the Northern District of the New Territories so long as he shall continue to act as District

Officer North. Government House. The movement under Government House has slowed down very considerably, repairs have been completed and the house is now entirely habitable. The movement was caused by the construction of air raid tunnels under the grounds and House. Regular and frequent inspections are being carried out in case of movements

likely to cause further damage. Bomber Fund's \$2,500,000. Shortly before noon on Saturday, the Bomber Fund passed the \$2,500,000 mark, thanks to a number of splendld donntions, which amounted to \$7,001.70, received during the short space of twoand-a-half hours.

The Fellowship of the Bellows gave the Fund its-biggest push by sending in its eighth donation of \$5,000. warded a third donation of \$1,000, Mr.

and Mrs Petro . a. second donation of

# Hongkong News of the Week

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#### August 25

Day of Heavy Rain, With a rainfall of 3.545 inches for the 23 hours ending at 11 p.m., to-day was the wettest day of the month.

Some rain fell shortly after midnight,

but there were only intermittent drizzies until shortly before noon when a heavy downpour began and continued until late in the evening.

This month has been rather dry for August, although early in the month there were promises to the contrary. On August 3 over two inches of rain On August 3 over two inches of rain modation resulting from the requisi-fell and more than one and half inches tioning of American ships by the on August 4, but there have been very few heavy downpours since. The rainfall for Sunday was half an Inch. The Bomber Fund. The following telegram, dated August 21, has been received from the Secretary of State steamers which were Commission on for the Colonies by His Excellency the completion of their voyages some time

Brabazon,-Latest £6,000 from South of the American President Lines for New Fire Engines. Tests of the China Morning Post Wor Fund grate- the time being on a trip to trip basis. American La France fire engines-the fully acknowledged. Please convey Apart from requisitioning, the demost modern and powerful machines my deep appreciation. Such generous cision of the Japanese shipping com-

Cost of Living. Only slight changes of a number of people, and inperformance in road and pumping in the prices of foodstuffs took place convenience to others. The four engines, which arrived in at 80 cents a pound, but pork is down much improved now, with an increased. the Colony a few days ago, have 12. by five cents, being quoted at 85 cents number of American ships calling here cylinder engines with an R.A.C. rating a pound yesterday. Pork chops are, next month.

Pork .55 cts a pound; chops \$1.25 a pound (.90 cts). Beef .80 ets a pound (.80 ets). Chicken \$1.80 n catty (\$1.00). Chicken \$1.80 n catty (\$1.00).
Eggs .84 cts n dozen (.82 cts).
Pointoes .9 cts n pound (.10 cts);
Onlons .8 cts n pound (.8 cts).
Brinini .15 cts n pound (.18 cts).
Tomatoes .32 cts n pound (.30 cts).
Oranges .17 cts each (.18 cts).
Apples .40 cts red, .25 cts green (.60

cta red). More U.S. Ships For Pacific. The schedules and shortage of accom-American Government, has been slightly alleviated, it was stated in shipping

Of the seven President Lines steamers which were delivered to the ngo, it is understood that three of the "Following from Colonel Moore ships are now to remain in the service

Despite considerable size, the machine Vegetables, though not plentiful sident Lines are expected to leave is very fast and easy to handle. It is show little change in price. Apples Hongkong for the United States. The Top speed is said to be more than 60 Chicken is \$1,80 n culty, which is first week in September, another about 20 cents higher than last week. Eggs the middle of the month, and the third are very expensive, ordinary cooking towards the end of the month. Further information regarding these sallings way through the traffic on Saturday, Prices' ruling yesterday, with those may be had on application to the American President Lines, Limited.

#### August 26

only to subscribe mother \$384,000 and bomber squadron, bearing the Principally these engines are to be Colony's name, will go into operation used to pump salt water from the against the Nazls. This revealed in an Praya up to the higher levels. They official reply from London to inquiries are each provided with six inch suc- made by the sponsors of the Bomber

The knowledge that a bomber squaa 100 gallon tank with emergency hose, dron will bear the name of Hongkong so that the firemen can throw water has stimulated donations for some time past and the S. C. M. Post, Ltd, recently received a number of inquiries The tests were carried out under the as to how much money is required to

cable how much more money is re- sees. quired to purchase Hongkong's Bomber

of them for allegedly going out of medium Bomber Squadron, probably year's boys' record by 2% secs, Blenhelms, to be named Hongkong. .The trouble arose out of some mem- To enable us to do so we should re-

#### The Balance Required

Subscriptions to the Fund have enaulred sum.

In local currency therefore, appro-Old Site Transformed. Used for the Colony will do its utmost to help toold Site Transformed. Used for the words such a worthy goal, last 30 or more years by stallholders words such a worthy goal.

On July 16, 1941, His Excellency the for the sole purpose of seiling fruits. It was maintained that old customers day was not far distant when "a

E. A. Roberts caused the biggst upnas for many years been something of set of the evening when he beat B. S. landmark.

Industry

Defence Reserve. The following championship in the new time of 78%

from August 15; and Mr F. Ellis, with third, a long way behind. Mr B. D. Evans and Mr T. L. Bell L. A. Benn and D. Hulchinson in the

yards Hutchinson, who had set the Hongkong Bombers. Hongkong has pace, tired quickly and dropped be-

> The last 20 yards provided a thritling finishing burst by Benn, but he was beaten by two seconds by May, who lowered last year's time (Benn's)

and Benn at 33. May reduced his arrears over the next 50 yards and he and Hutchinson reached the 100 yards mark in 68 with Benn at 69. May May reached the 200 yard mark in 2 the wardrobe a bag and was about to-day, when it was revealed that add my personal thanks. Production reading as follows: "Picase mins 28 sees and Benn at 2 mins 33 to scream when Defendant seeing the Secretary of State for the It will be recalled that this gift

Caddles on Strike. Caddles at the yesterday:

Kowloon Golf Club went on strike on "From Ministry of Aircraft Productilation, but Saunders swam unpaced which was reached by means of a friday, following the dismissal of two tion. We should like to arrange for to clock 28 secs and so lower his last ladder.

Friday, following the dismissal of two tion. We should like to arrange for to clock 28 secs and so lower his last ladder.

Colony's Trade. According to an official report released for publication by the Superintendent of Imports and admitted that the articles found in Exports the combined values of the his possession were stolen. Miss Colony's Imports and exports of mer- Ybarra recognised the articles as her chandle as declared during the month property. of July, 1941, totalled \$119.9 millions

In terms of local currency the total visible trade of the Colony increased pared with July, 1940; and decreased by 1.4 per cent, in terms of sterling.





from the Chinese Staff of the Hong kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Staff and Godown Wharf and Godown Wharf and Godown Wharf and Godown Staff and Godown Con. the bungalow had their hair singed, amounting to S599, was 10 and 8 new committee was formed. These pletures taken at the meeting indice to the concussion shock the Lord of arrivals from the United Staff and any have been one of the controller, and a new to the concussion shock the low part of the big assembly who heard some outspoken specifics.

## Review Of The Principal Topics —

Aug 24 To Aug 30

#### · August 27

Peak Burglaries. A girl was gagged

ed, was convicted on two counts of : Mr R. J. Banks was elected Chair-Ybarra, children's nurse, and (b) 100 yards, but at the completion of 150 two bangles, one gold finger ring, one will be announced. 114 The Peak.

went to sleep again,

The following reply was received McQueen robbed the boys' 50 yards the window and escaped. The house Hongkong public.

Defendant was arrested by an Indian watchman at Hill Crest and

culprit. All the articles stolen from short illness. by 0.8 per cent, in July, 1941 as com- Lady Blackburn were thrown into 20 cents.

for deportation.

at Repulse Bay, on the infternoon of N. Anderson at Central Magistracy to- Ploneer Lamily have shares in the shop. The women of Penang, she said, scafront at the 12-mile post, Castle Street, was summoned for assaulting Li Tong. 45. of 116 Gloucester Road, causing him bodily harm.

Mr M. A. da Silva appeared for De-

fendant, while Complainant was rel presented by Mr C. A. Sutherton Russ. Complainant, examined by Mr Silva, ager of Dennis and Company. stated that he had been employed by

driving it. Complainant refused, say- celve them. ing that it was his master's business and allegedly swore at Defendant, Defen- Seeking A Vicar. The following Colony at this time of the year. caused a commotion, and was eventual. Vicar for the Parish: ly stopped by the arrival of Com-

## Thursday

cuation Representation Committee resigned in a body and was replaced certificates will be purchasable from by a new committee.

The Peninsula Hotel Rose Room was the outcome of Mr W. V. Tay- aged to assist the war effort by buyflor's published announcement of his ing these certificates, as they are in decision to resign from the post of England. There a weekly contribu-Acting Honorary Secretary. He an- tion of usually sixpence is made by against the Committee.

those allegations, which, in the words special "Savings Week." Individual members.

room at 115 The Penk, according to a dealed Mr Taylor's several charges 1941, giving a list of the unclaimed story told to Mr D. J. N. Anderson Mr J. F. MacGregor, Vice-Chairman, mately \$6,000 in value, covering 50 Netherlands, at No. 532 The Peak. during the past ten days. Beef remains The situation would appear to be at Central Magistracy to-day, in a but one member of the Committee, items. case which also concerned the theft Mr J. Shepherd, supported Mr The majority of the prizes, which No official reception was given by of several articles belonging to Lady Taylor's complaint in respect to a include silverware, wines and spirits, the Consul-General during the day,
Three ships of the American Pre- Blackburn, wife of the Counsellor to letter to the Colonial Secretary, open orders on docal firms to the the Consul-General during the day, the British Embassy at Chungking. which, it was stated, had not been value of \$100 each, watches, jewel- as customary in peace time, but Yang Chang-tang, 24, unemploy- was sent through the Governor.

> and stealing from the premises one Taylor as Hon. Secretary, The Comtwo pairs of sunglasses, one silver the Governor to-day describing the

stealing two pairs of spectacles, one held next Tuesday when the result. Gift to Malta. The following copies

carved jade slip, valued at \$104, the Messrs J. Shepherd, S. Simpson, F. F. tion: Duckworth, J. N. Sweeney, A. C. From Governor, Hongkong, to property of Lady Blackburn, at No. Jeffreys, J. F. MacGregor and W. V. Governor, Malta, date August 25. Taylor (Acting Hon. Secretary).

on August 24 Miss Ybarra was sud- prises Messrs. J. Shepherd, N. Nick- through the Crown Agents for the Hutchinson was first to complete the dealy awakened by some noise in son, W. G. McKie, Capt. W. E. Kirby, Colonies, London, as a gift from the 50 yards in 30 sees with May at 3218 her bedroom but seeing nothing, she V. D. Gage and Jarvis, with Mr W. Y. Government and people of this Taylor as hon, secretary.

Sometime later she was again expected that shortly Hongkong nor, Hongkong, date August 26 .- The mark in 68 with Benn at 69. May awakened by the sound of the door residents will be able to purchase people of Malta warmly appreciate forged ahead at the 150 yard mark vhen he clocked 1 min 45 sees to Hut- of a wardrobe opening. She had a war savings certificates in the the gift of £1,000 from the Governwhen he clocked I him to sees to the second of the second that she was awake, gagged her with Colonies had approved of the idea was approved by the Legislative The absence of R. Larsen and N. a piece of cloth. Defendant ran to of making them available to the Council as a token of appreciation

First Resident of Kowloon Tong course of an interview which she Subscriptions to the Fund have en- of July, 1941, totalled \$119.9 millions

abled the S. C. M. Post Ltd. to remit (£7.3 millions) as compared with Lady Blackburn discovered the Augustine Tsang Yew-pan, of the have been for 15 months or more in £151,030-19-6 to the British Govern- \$119.0 millions (£7.4 millions) in July, theft of her property the following Pioneer Store, No. 7 Stafford Road, continuous, and complete, black-outs, as morning. As a result of inquiries Kowloon Tong, occurred at St Teresa's continuous, and complete, black-outs, as made Defendant was found to be the Hospital on Friday morning after a I was," she explained, "the blaze of

> a house coolie at No. 114 The Peak His marriage to Miss Ma King-sinn, an good wishes for the future of its but on July 19 he was dismissed artist, took place in 1910. Prior to the people. when he was convicted on a charge of opening of the Pioneer Family Store. larceny of clothing from his em- he was a broker dealing with the sale. Discussing the morale of the people of cinema films in Canton.

second, the sentences to run concur- They found the place very agreeable explain to anyone in a place that had trict. For the convenience of their Britain. neighbours, their residence was partly Brawl At Repulse Bay. An alleged reignbours, their residence was partly The journey from Britain to Hong- National Anthem, small on a chauffour of Mr. Reported transformed 'into a store selling The journey from Britain to Hong- National Anthem, assault on a chauffeur of Mr Banerjee grocerles which gradually increased kong took 11 weeks; ten weeks by sea in size and finally emerged as the to Penang, and another week by air to Castle Peak Rd. Explosion. Mr J. June 12, had a sequel before Mr D. J. Pioneer Family Store, because the Hongkong.

> a widow, three daughters, Rosaline, particular, to the evacuees from bomba widow, three daughters, mosaime, ed areas. They did, however, less Friday, when a mine which had Angeline and Pauline and a son, Peter. ed areas. They did, however, less Friday, when a mine which had Ills relations in Hongkong include his hospital work than we do here. brother-in-law, Mr S. K. Chung, Man-

Mr Banerjee for three-years. On the Vain Evacuation Move. As instruct-figures obtained from Mr J. H. B. Lee, The bungalow, which is some day-in question he obtained leave from ed at Thursday's general meeting, the Immigration Officer, yesterday, but distance above sea level, was struck cay-in question he obtained leave from this employer and spent it with a picnic party at Repulse Bay. His master was presentation Committee presented also at Ropulse Bay, having driven his themselves at Government House to sonal changes could not be ascertained high, created by the explosion. Mine day at 6 p.m., intending to present to the Governor a letter outlining their introduction of the Immigration Or
Complainant said that later Defendant arrived there in a private car, urging its revocation. They were intended; Mr. Rangerico's car, and asked by an official that it was not available. noticed: Mr Banerjee's car, and asked formed by an official that it was not. However, it was learned that since singed and uprooted, but fortunately complainant to let him have a trial at convenient for His Excellency to re- the start of the European war, there there were no casualties.

dant, walked away in an angry mood have been constituted a Board of

troller, at Holland House, 1st floor. reported that Mr. wittenback had, with 1,300, 1,000); Aug. 4-10, 10,100 (8,200, inside, became black, due possibly to the Director of Supply, with the written to the Archbishop of Melbourne 300, 1,000); Aug. 11-17, 10,300 (7,800, the chemicals and neid from the consent of the Governor, has delegated of Ridley College. Melbourne, asking consent of the Governor, has delegated and to Bishop Dollar Melbourne, asking It will be remembered that about a Orie or two servants working in

August 28

Legislation is now being drafted to make this effective and it is exfronted with a no confidence vote at sentation to the Legislative Council a mass meeting of Hongkong's within a few weeks. bachelor-husbands to-day, the Eva-It is presumed that war savings

. Post Offices, banks and other nuthorised centres. was crowded for the meeting, which Schools will probably be encour-

nounced that decision in a letter to a child and when the required the S. C. M. Post on August 20 in amount has been subscribed, he rewhich he made certain allegations ceives his certificate. These are interest-bearing. Business houses also day, which fell yesterday, of Her organise drives in England for the Majesty Queen Wilhelmina of the At to-day's meeting he amplified sale of certificates, and towns hold a Netherlands, was fervently celebrated of the Committee Chairman, Mr C. E. Rame Prizes Unclaimed. At a by the Netherlands community in Terry, carried an accusation of "bad meeting of the Hongkong War Effort Hongkong this evening, when a re-

faith" against the Committee and its Committee held on Wednesday night, ception was held in honour of the Linstead & Davis, supervisors of the Queen's birthday at the residence of by a burglar who entered her bed- Mr Terry, who presided, roundly Monster Raffle held early in April; Mr D. G. E. Middelburg, acting and was supported in his denials by prizes. These amount to approxi- Consul-General in Hongkong for the

shown to all the members before it lery etc., are now in the possession Netherlanders attending the reception of the Committee, and it was decided at the meeting that as suitable op- on Saturday evening took the op-(a) breaking into No. 115 The Peak man of the new Committee, with Mr offenct for sale by man of the new Committee, with Mr offered for sale by nuction at various their Queen, and to confirm again the and stealing from the premises one Taylor as Hon. Secretary. The Compublic functions, the proceeds to go worden, and to confirm again the handbag containing \$11.95, one purse, mittee decided to present a letter to to the Bomber Fund. to the Bomber Fund.

Six firms have sent cheques to the between the House of Orange and resary and one resary, valued at adverse effects of the evacuation Committee in lieu of the prizes the Netherlands, a relationship which \$56.95, the property of Miss G. order and urging its immediate res-donated, and the sum of \$554 received from these sources is being paid to Another public meeting will be the Bomber Fund.

resary bead bracelet, one gold cross, of the interview with the Governor of telegrams between His Excellency the Governor of Hongkong and His silver expanding necklace, one Members of the Committee present Excellency the Governor of Malta imitation pearl necklace and one were Mr C. E. Terry (Chairman), are published for general informa-

A contribution of £1,000 is being It was stated that about 4.20 a.m. The new committee elected com- made to the Malta Relief Fund

War Savings Certificates, It is From Governor, Malta, to Gover-

for a sister Colony.

#### August 29

Hongkong on my return was the lights," said Lady Northcote to-day in the lights here is simply unbelievable."

the harbour by Defendant since they The late Mr Tsang was the first TO the people of Hongkong Lady could not be disposed of except the resident to settle down in Kowleon Northcote sends a personal message, spectacles which were pawned for Tong district.

She has enloyed her also been grateful for the many kindnesses shown Born in Kwangtung province 57 years her; she regrets her imminent dreparago, Mr. Tsang had been to the United her; she regrets her imminent dreparDefendant was once employed as States where he stayed for seven years, ture from the Colony, but offers her

at Home. Lady Northcote said that Defendant was sentenced to four About 16 years ago Mr Tsang settled they all had their jobs to do, and did months' hard labour on the first down with his family in Kowloon Tong, them, carrying on and making the best has already been in existence for count and three months on the before it became a residential district of things. It was difficult, she said, to more than four centuries," rently. He was also recommended lead in making their homes in the dist disregard of air raids by the people of The toast to the Queen was follow-

Mr Tsang was a member of the Kow- were doing a great deal of war work.

Mr Tsang was a member of the Kow- were doing a great deal of war work.

Like Hongkong's workers, they sent Peak Road, was damaged by splinters to loon Tong Garden City Club and had a lot of supplies to Britain, and, in and water about 12:30 p.m. on many friends in the district. He leaves particular to the evacues from bomb-

Colony since April have shown a fairly terrific concussion. considerable decrease, according to

has been a tendency for fewer people to come in and more to go out of the Although the bungalow is still

piainant's mistress on the scene.

The Bishop (or his Commissary, the 2400); April 29-May 6, 14,200 (12,500,-in the rooms was saturated. Pieces Rev. E. W. L. Martin); the Rev. H. A. 200, 1,500); May 6-12, 14,800 (11,700, of metal about three inches in tember 1.

The case was adjourned to Sep-Wittenbach (representing the Archdeatember 1.

Metals Controller. It is learned that England Trustees); Miss W. Robinson, 2,300; June 2-8, 11,700 (8,800, 600, stones, and debris, were strown over Hengland Trustees); Miss W. Robinson, 2,300; June 16-22, 13,700 (10,500, 500, the house and grounds, causing controller, with effect from August 20, and that as from Monday, September 1.

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#### August 30

Hollanders Celebrate. The birth-

#### Quips By "Argus" With Acknowledgments

While the cost of living is down a bit, the cost of leaving is suffering from inflation spiral,

And of course the Government

can always tell the husbands, "You should have thought of all this before you proposed to her." And when they're at it, why not

posed husbands' badge? note from a heading that a climbing party has been surprised at Yaumati. Don't they everest?

have a bar sinister across the pro-

Then there's the lady who looks like she was poured into her dress and forgot to my when, The Health expert enlarges again on' the blessings of ventilation. Perhaps for the average Hongkong

flat he could invent a porous water-

proof window pane. Because of the freezing, it is idle dollars in Shanghai, Why, that in real money must be at least three and fourpence!

Many wild animals charge with their eyes closed. I know a few compradores who do the same. The many impending divorces in this -town-are -causing -the-inwyers-

to go round with dark triangles under their eyes. "We had a hard road to hoe," said the husbands' chairman, as

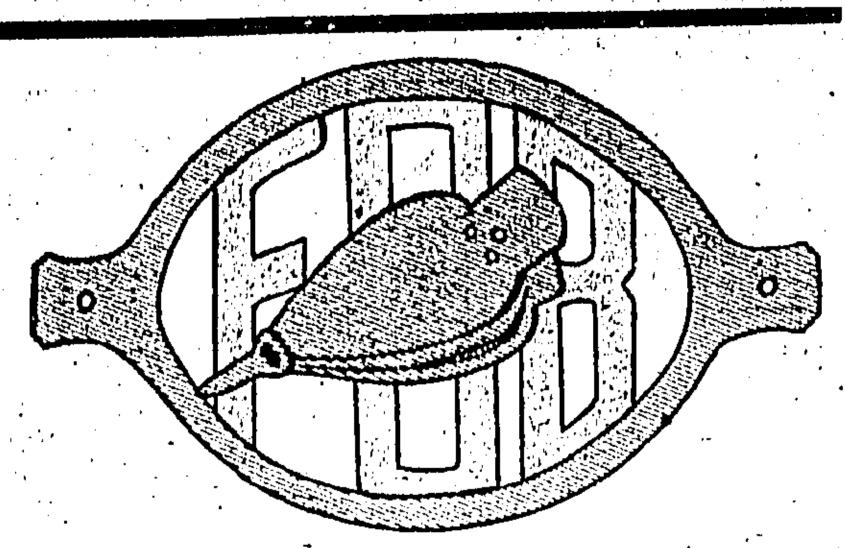
reported. Better stick to paddling your own kazoo. While the husbands were meeting, so was the Y's Men's Club. But then the sadder and the wiser

are not always the same people. We need another \$304,000 so that a "Hongkong" bombing unit can be formed. Well, maybe a bargain -could be struck with the food hawkers or the Vegetable Gulld.

ed by the singing of the Netherlands

H. Ruttonjee's bungalow near the drifted from its mooring was dashed Fewer Immigrants. Arrivals in the on the rocks and exploded with a

standing, its foundations are believed but returned later, and assaulted Com- Patronage for St Andrew's Church. Following are the weekly figures of to have been affected. Doors and but returned later, and assaulted Com- Patronage for ot take steps to find a new arrivals since April: April 22-28, windows were blown in by the force plainant. The fight that followed Kowloon, to take steps to find a new arrivals since April: April 22-28, windows were blown in by the force 14,700 (Macao, 11,300, Canton and The arrivals the furniture) Kwongchowan 1,100, other ports of the explosion, while the furniture plainant's mistress on the scene. \_\_ The Bishop (or his Commissary, the 2,400); April 20-May 6, 14,200 (12,500, in the rooms was saturated. Pieces



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#### Fight To Thais Will Defend Their Soil

"The story of Thailand to-day is the story of a nation waiting to be invaded," declared Mr Frank Gervasi, associate editor of the American magazine "Collier's," when he arrived in Singapore after spending ten days in Bangkok.

"I am personally convinced) that the Thai are going to fight," he said. "They have their eyes open for what is hap-

they will be saving face, honour and dignity as men who are confident that the Axis is going to lose and that they will get a decent break

"The That will tell you," he continued, "that they would rather die on their feet than live on their

Pro-British were making very serious prepara- States control soon.

he added. with Britain and the U.S.A."

sion, Mr Gervasi said, "I think you ing film magnate, can certainly expect an attack on If this deal comes off it will be a Russla by Japan If the Germans con-tinue successfully against the Soviet." of British halls—a state of things Accredited correspondent to the which the Government has in the and Hongkong supports that warning. British Forces in the Middle East for past been anxious to avoid. three months this year-May, June The Warner company which is and July-Mr Gervasi spoke highly bidding is a British one, but repreof the British soldier. Briton Best Soldier

"The Brifish Tommy is the best | Like all other American film soldier in the world to-day," he firms it has large "frozen assets" in is fearless and even under long tion of export revenue. suffering never complains. He is

truly a 'great guy.'" The danger in the Middle East, he Middle East "very soon."

He was of the opinion that Britain he said.

# "They believe that if they fight by will be saving face, honour and splits be saving face, honour and Cinemas

Britain's largest combine of cinemas, Associated British Picture Corporation (the familiar A.B.C. halls which number over The people in Thailand, he said, 500), may come under United

tions to prepare themselves. "They According to the "Kinematograph Japan has got to modify her policy are prependerantly pro-British," Weekly," negotiations are nearly completed whereby Warner Brothers "Japan would be in for a bad time Pictures, Ltd., will buy the £4,500,if she involved herself in a conflict 000 held in shares by the widow of and President Roosevelt have Mr John Maxwell, the Glasgow Spenking of Russo-Japanese ten- solicitor who became Britain's lead-

- sents the United States parent com-

said. "I have seen him fight. He Britain because of Treasury limita-

ammunition there to augment British fensive to the offensive mentality: I

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#### SOLUTION LIES WITH

**JAPAN** 

both in Washington and Tokyo regarding the possible outcome of the exchange of notes between Prince Konoye and President Roosevelt relevant to the existing Pacific crisis is understandable and sensible. Much depends on how much new ground Tokyo is prepared to break; if Prince Konoye's message to President Roosevelt goes no further than the time-honoured Japanese plea for "better understanding", which means States permit Japan to go ahead with and freedom. her programme, of aggression and expansion without let or hindrance, honour and was actually the then little, if anything, can be expected from the latest negotiations. It has been emphatically and clearly explained to Japan that the chine. solution to the Pacific crisis lies very largely in her hands; its essential prerequisite is a willingness on the part of the Japanese Government to make concessions, the principal one of which is the renunciation of her policy of self-aggrandisement and acquisition of territory by force. It is doubtful, however, whether this in spirit. itself would be regarded by the democracies as sufficient. The political situation in the Far East created by Japan is so obnoxious to America and Britain that'it cannot be indefinitely tolerated. That is, perhaps, a point of view which Japan has not sufficiently taken into account.

Considerable emphasis has been placed on the concern which Britain and America feels regarding threats to Malaya, the N.E.I., and the Philippines, but just as much concern is felt about the position of China as-it is to-day, and manifestly, and rightly, aid from those two nations to China is going to be consistently increased. Japanese politicians who have always insisted upon the need for "realism" should take a leaf out of their own book in this respect. The situation is neute because it is obvious that if there is to be any improvement, very considerably. Britain and the United States through Mr Churchill categorically declared that they intend to stand for no further nonsense on the part of Tokyo. Britain's

It will be the general and fervent hope of all same people throughout the Orient that the latest efforts to avert the explosion so gravely threatening will meet with success; but Japan must not expect this to be accomplished at the expense of China: there is going to be no selling would be starting an offensive in the out of Chungking by either America or Britain. From now on the rewent on, had now passed. There "I think that Britain, aided by tractions and the sacrifices must was plenty of American material and America, has gone over from the de- come from Japan, and if these are not forthcoming, then Japan must am very optimistic about the future," accept the consequences, serious as



#### HEROIC POLAND'S CHOICE struggle.

#### By Jan Bolinski-Jundzill

Deputy-Director of the Polish Research Centre

when she accepted reciprocated the British guarantee of April 6, 1939. It is not sufficiently realised in many countries that Poland had that choice in the Spring before the War.

Two paths lay before her. Poland, as a vassal state of mands and espouse the it is claimed by Polish authorinothing more than that the United cause of international order Polish victory with 150,000

She chose the path of first country to resist the mighty German war ma-

#### Hopeless Odds

The military campaign o courage by the entire Polish people. The siege of Warsaw will for all time serve as an example of their indomitable

In the second week of the further preparation for war. pelling the invader. Neverthe- Greece before us, Poles are in

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Defense

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enemy heavy losses.

They preferred to sacrifice the Gestapo. their material possessions their city, their homes, their lives—in order to continue resistance as long as humanly possible.

THE cautious tone adopted omeially The first was to yield to of infantry, 15 mechanised divi- dozen lands. Monday he shoots German persuasion, make sions and 5,000 aeroplanes in Dutchmen, Tuesday Norwegiconcessions with regard to action. The Poles opposed this ans, Wednesday French or Bel-

This was the unequal struggle Germany would then have Poland fought for a whole taken part in a German month. She would have held campaign against Russia. out longer had it not been for The other alternative was the Russian attitude. The Gerto resist the German de-man losses were very heavy and dead, 200,000 wounded, about 700 tanks and 500 aeroplanes.

#### Vital Contribution

During the last war, when the German-onslaught-on-Paris-endangered the situation in the West, the armies of the Tsar helped by attacking West Prussia and thus contributed indirectly to the victory of the 1939 was fought with desperate Marne. So in 1939, a short but bloody campaign in Poland secured to the Western Powers a period of respite and gave them the opportunity of affecting mobilisation and making

siege it was entirely clear that To-day, with the vivid illusthe situation was hopeless and trations of German tactics in there was no possibility of re- the battles of France and

By Lichty

first act of this tremendous formed.

forces of the Polish nation.

Methods hitherto unexampled well known. in the history of the civilised Poland made her choice less the defenders of Warsaw world are being used. The inspired by the same spirit of fully realised that every day Germans, in consequence of they fought on was causing the their failure to find "quislings" in Poland, have relied mainly on

sed by the British Prime Minister in his broadcast to the Polish nation on May 3 when he said:

"Every week his (Hitler's) The Germans had 75 divisions firing parties are busy in a Danzig and the Polish Cor- might with 25 divisions, one gians stand against the wall; ridor, and join the Axis. 370 planes.

Poland as a vascal state of are the Serbs and the Greeks to Palestine. fill his repulsive bill of executhere are the Poles."

#### Poland Fights On-

From the secret press appear- it. ing in Poland and from reports sion. Polish faith in a final vic- stubborn fight by the side of tory is unshåken.

The incident, however, appears to confirm the contention that Hitler's Proclamation to the German Army was, in fact, a Declaration of War on Poland. While this is going on in Poland thousands of Poles are now in Britain under the leadership of the Polish Prime Minis-

ter and Commander-in-Chief,

General Sikorski.

Hitler embarked on his mad-

march on September 1, 1939.

A special edition issued by

the "Telegraph" late that

evening told Hongkong the

news. This is the message

that heralded the start of

Burning to avenge their country, keen to serve in the Allied cause, they braved great dangers, crossing frontiers and mountain ranges, passing through many countries till they spired by the thought of the part reached France, where a new played by their country in the Polish army and air force were

Destroyers and submarines of What is going on in Poland the Polish Navy escaped from now? The policy of the oc- the Baltic and reached British cupying Power is brutal and ports to co-operate with the ruthless. Their policy aims at British Navy. Many of their the destruction of the vital exploits, particularly those of the Polish submarine Orzel, are

After the French collapse, determination, the Polish Government and the Polish Army arrived in Britain. Since then they have continued to German barbarity was stres- play their part in the war. I need not stress the part played by the Polish airmen in the battle of Britain when about 10 percent. of the planes brought down in the autumn were the victims of Polish fighters.

Polish forces also played their part at Narvik in May and June 1940 and are now fighting in the Middle East which they reached through Syria and

The century-old Polish Nation. But always, all the days, tional Anthem begins with the words: "Poland's soul is not departed while we live to own her." Poland's soul lives on and no persecution can destroy

Poland's part in the struggle emanating from other sources, to-day can be summed up in a it is clear that the Polish spirit few words. In Poland, stubof resistance remains unim-born resistance to German oppaired by this ruthless oppres- pression. Elsewhere, an equally brave Allies.

# CONTRACTION BRIDGE HOWIONIN OSEPHINE CULBERTSON—

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finitesimal, yet it is just such choices covered, let it ride? is this that mark the expert. Note The answer to this is simple when to-day's deal. 🗀 🥕 South dealer.

Both sides vulnerable. Match-point duplicate.

**♦** J D 8 G 2 **487548** VJAO **♦ A Q 7 5 8** 

The bidding: North East 2 N T Poss 3 N T Pass

opened the fourth best spade. Some in one case, this selection becomes declarers went up with dummy's the "percentage" play. stopper immediately. With the fulfilled their contracts. heart suit wide open, it was apparent that the only hope of fulfilling the contract depended on running the diamond suit without losing the lend. No other consideration was involved.

The K-10-4 of diamonds were outstanding. As we know, with only ten of a suit, missing the king, the proper play is to finesse, not to play for a drop. Hence, if the dlamond king is in West's hand, whether guarded or unguarded, it will make, rince there is no reason. to violate this rule of play. Thus, we must finesse, but in precisely what manner? Entering dummy a

THE "percentage" favouring one diamond and finesse to the queen, play over another may be in- or lead the jack and, If it is not

we consider the possible distributions of the missing diamonds. If East has the king blank, the K-10 or the K-4, it does not matter what diamond we lead from dummy; we are safe in all cases. There is a possibility, however, that East holds all three of the missing diamonds, and in that case it will be fatal to lead low to the queen. East, of course, will not split his honours; he will put the four on the deuce. The queen holds but, when West falls to follow, our doom becomes plain. East still has the K-10 and no manner of play can shut out his

If we play properly, however, and lend dummy's jack, it is East who is doomed. If he covers, our ace wins and, since West shows out, another finesse is established against the ten-spot. If East ducks, , the jack holds. Thus, since there is seven tholes in a recent, duplicate nothing to lose in any case by leadgamo and in every case. West ing the jack, and something to gain

queen, others let the lead ride to I regret to report that, of the the A-10. But, since East had both seven declarers, only two led the the king and jack, this was imma- jack instead of a low diamond terial-South lost his only spade through East and hence, only two To-morrow's Hand

> South dealer. Both sides vulnerable.

♥J106 VAK85482

How should this hand be bid

"---so it's settled, that at the approach of enemy aircraft, wo all meet here for lunch!" they will be to all involved. We all meet here for junction with a club, anound we lead a new most annual porpid

## Left His Secretary £10.000

But Nothing At All To His Wife.

Lieut.-Colonel Claude Beddington, who was killed by Nazi machineguns last August, left £10,000 to his woman secretary and nothing to his widow.

The secretary is Miss Margare. Clay Adams, aged 27, of Gloucestevplace, W. She had been working for Colonel Beddington for some

Mrs Claude Beddington, the widow, now in Canada, is an Irishweman. In his £320,000 will her husband stipulated that his executors should invest none of his money in any Irish land or Irish shares.

In 1939 Mrs Beddington published a book entitled "All That I Have Met." She has described as among her recreations, "Talking four languages, helping under-dogs, working for lost causes, and shopping at Woolworth's and Marks and Spencer's."

#### Killed Off Wales

Colonel Beddington built his own yacht, the Cachalot, and gave it to the Admiralty, with his services. He was serving off the Welsh const when two German bombers machine-gunned the decks and killed him.

He left £3,000 to a former secretary, Miss Ida L. Nisbet.

three small children.

# NAZIS GROWS Partisan Warfare

have been impossible. Similarly The skeleton lay in an ebony come of the invincibility to Great Britain would then

Ten weeks of heroic resistance by father's tomb. the Red Army against nine-tenths Tamerlane, who died while march- was coming. of the entire German armed forces ing to invade China had conquered and the enormous losses inflicted on Syria, Persia, the Caucasus, and Germany had raised the spirits of the Turkey and had invaded India down-trodden occupied countries.

THE



THEY SHALL NOT PASS-This is a new American 30-ton tank standing against a traffic line, waiting for the traffic light to change. It is the first tank off the production line at the Baldwin plant at Chester, Pa.

# Morale Slumps, German Chinese

Germany and Japan can be defeated by Great Britain, China, Russia and the were unacceptable unless payment legacles he bequenthed the rest of the overtime and all-night shift- his property to his only daughter Sheila, who is in Bermuda with her in Berlin until July 3. said on his arrival in New York. He intimated that slow in By 28 votes to 23 with one new terms. in Berlin until July 3, said on his arrival in New York. He intimated that slow German progress in Russia had disappointed the Germans, who had been used to pose the repudiation of the political OPPOSITION TO quick success. But he warned against wishful thinking and a hope of a German

# Tamerlane's Body

luting his lifetime of 26 years.

ACCLAIMED BY MORE THAN 5,000,000 MEN

"It is not easy for the Germans to carry on the war on two fronts and to control the subjugated nations at the same time, the Ambassador said in an interview. "But the German Government decided to fight the Russians for two reasons, as far as we How greatly the opposition to Nazi rule in occupied countries has increased was stressed by M. Lozovsky, the great conqueror of the fourteening to foreign correspondents to-day.

A Moscow message that the tomb and oil; secondly, because the German High Command thought and oil; secondly, because the German High Command thought that if they did defeat Great Britain they would have to fight the Soviets spokesman, in a statement to foreign correspondents to-day.

to foreign correspondents to-day.

This opposition is finding expression in partisan warfare, acts of preserved condition and is now being Russian campaign. sabotage and attacks on German examined by water, The skull has agents, German officers and soldlers.

M. Lozovsky declared that ten weeks ago, the shots fired at Laval have been impossible. Similarly have been impossible. Similarly have been impossible. Similarly in the shots fired at Laval have been impossible. Similarly in the shots fired at Laval tall which agrees with tradition.

Nazis Not Happy Mr Chen could not confirm the report that Reich Marshal Hermann Wilhelm Goering had dis-

Nazis were not happy about it.

strikes in Poland had previously been impossible, but now there had been one at the important Polish railway junction of Rzhnov and a serious junction of Rzhnov and a serious railway accident at Krupkov.

Ten weeks of heroic racisthyras by father's tomb.

The skeleton lay in an ebony comn of the German arms.

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Inside a heavy marble tomb. Heavy of the German arms.

If it is not, the Germans will try to invade Great Britain, it is still believed in Berlin, but when they will although diplomatic circles in Berlin have also been exhumed from their knew several months should that it in the strategic plane are naturally of the German arms.

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#### commented. Italians Hope British Win

Dr Mao Chu-keng, a member of the Chinese Legation in Rome, said that the great majority of the Italian people prayed for a quick British victory that would free them in carrying out their religious duties from German domination. The Germans were hated everywhere, he added, and the popularity of Mussolini and Ciano was very low. But there was still esteem for King Victor Emmanuel, he sald, Marshal Pictro Badoglio was spected.

It was commenly known Rome, Dr Mao said, that wheneve Musschini drives through the town, the people are pushed off the streets where he is to pass, so that he will not be shot.

### POST-WAR FASCISM DANGER

A warning of the dangers of Fascism in Britain in the three years following the war was given by the Home Secretary, Mr Herbert Morrison, recently.

"The danger of Fascism has not greatly increased during the war," he told a London Labour Party meeting at which Professor Harold Laski spoke on Post-War Reconstruction.

"It all depends on the capacity of the Government and the Labour Party, and how far we are orderly, courageous, swift and determined in reconstructing society and seonomic organisation.

"And by reconstruction I do no mean going back to things as they were, because things as they were were wrong."

#### Mad Experiment

If people were allowed to drift into a "things can't be worse" state of mind they would try any mad experiment to get out of things as they were.

Harold Laski declared that he was in favour of a continuance of the present shape of Government for a year after the war on certain conditions.

"I have faith" that between now and the end of the war we can secure agreement on a programme of reconstruction for the year succeeding the armistice," he said.

#### Depends On Tories

"That would allow us to concentrate on European Preorganisation without the distractions of a political

"But it will depend upon the attitude of the Conservatives." The war has proved beyond all question that the conflict of private interests could not produce a well-

ordered commonwealth. The Government must control the whole mechanism of national credi banks and the rest, and transport, coal and electric power.

## Engineers "Lost" In The Forces

Complaint By Union Against War Office

INSTEAD of diluting industry so much the authorilles should dilute the Forces, said Mr Jack Tanner, President, at the National Conference of the Amaigamated Engineering Union recently.

It was complained that young skilled engineers were being taken nway into the Forces while dilutees, also young men eligible for the Forces, were taking their jobs.

The conference also protested that

men working long hours should not be compelled to undertake compulsory fire watching, especially for little or no pay.

#### Consultation With Union

On the question of reserved occupations a resolution was passed urging that there should be consultation with the union before changes were made, to prevent undue interference with industry.

Mr Tanner said they recognised that with the development of mechanisation the Forces had to have

The union had, however, supplied lists of members in technical corps, besides Line regiments, who, since joining up, had never handled the tools of their trade. The conference passed a resolution stating that the fire-watching regulations issued by the Home Secretary

# Worship Of Fuhrer

but he had heard that many high tory

It is taking place in Germany. where, since the Nazi ideology took root, religious persecution has flowered. But the Nazl leaders are finding that the terror of air raids cannot be overcome without the consolation of religion, and in consequence a number of concessions have been granted to Catholics.

Reports state that Goering has ordered the lifting of restrictions on going to church after air raids, and Catholic priests may now go out during an Alert to administer the inst

Goering has also informed the German Episcopate, through the Church Ministry, that further orders will be issued with a view to aiding priests

#### during raids. Jew-Baiting Relaxed

Some time ago it was stated that Jew-baiting had been relaxed in the Reich with a view to securing muchneeded additions to war workers.

The boastful Nazi leaders, it is Jearned, have found-it-extremely-disinsteful to have to admit that their regime has not completely obliterated from the minds of their people the need for something more than adoration of the Fuhrer to sustain them in the ever-increasing fury of the R.A.F.'s raids.

### Substitute For Wheat A Suitable Flour From Bananas

INVESTIGATIONS carried out by the Department of Agriculture, Malaya, have shown that a variety of banana (Pisang Tandok) produces the brightest coloured flour, especially if the central core of the fruit is removed before drying.

The "Molayan Agricultural Jour-nal" quotes the Brazil News for information about the installation of a plant at Santos where ripe bananas are dried and powdered by a process which does not destroy the cell struc\* ure and which conserves the vita-

"The flour is put up in tins containing the equivalent of 5 lb, of mature fruit, one tablespoonful representing one banana. Retention of the vitamin content is important in that banana flour is a useful source of af least one member of the B2 complex, recent work having revented a riboflavin content of 0.84 mg. per kilogram of the raw fruit.

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In 1940, the het imports into Malaya of wheat were 661 tons, and of wheat flour 59,407 tons, the total value of these two net imports amounting to

"There would, therefore, appear to be a strong case for the further extension of the gren under a particular variety of bananas for the manufacture of flour to replace in part this considerable import of wheat wheat flour," states the Malayan Agricultural Journal.



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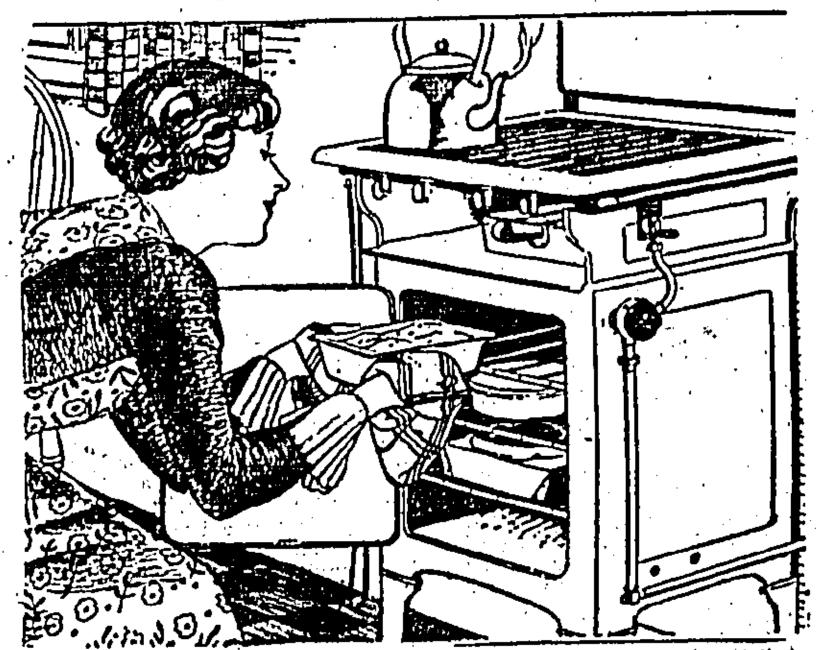
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#### Tobruk Defenders' **Bayonet Charge** CAIRO, Aug. 81 (Reuter).—In the

tacked an enemy post with bayonet the condition of Laval and Marcel inflicting casualties. During the day the condition of Laval and Marcel inflicting casualties. During the day Deat, says a Paris message. there was a fair amount of enemy shell fire.

this caused no damage. some exchange of artillery fire.

#### Improving. LONDON, Aug. 31 (Reuter) -

Laval's temperature is falling and

There was one enemy air raid but the bullet in his body is becoming enclosed in a spot that is not don-In the frontier area there was gerous. Deat it is considered imay be out of danger.



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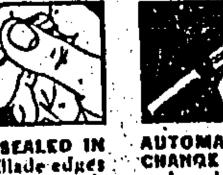
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cause that amarting, burning after shave dis-

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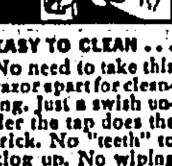
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2. Lau Tai-ping (Lai Tsun); 3. Tsang Cheong-ming (Lai Tsun). Time 26-2/5

440 yards-1, Chan Chun-nam (Lai

Tsun); 2, Yau Sai-kwan (Lai Tsun); 3,

Kenneth Lo (H.K.U.). Time 5 mins 19

Women's 120 yards individual medicy

Women's 50 yards (Members) .-- I, Miss

Miss Cheung Oi-lin. Time 32 3/5.

220 yards breast-stroke.—1, Yau Sai-kwan (Lai Tsun); 2, Hui Kwan-lun (H.K.U.); 3, Tsang Cheong-po. Time 3

100 yards breast-stroke (Menibers'

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department 150 metres medley relay. Obstacle swimming (50 metres), Water-

Ho Wai-king Breaks

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# Boxing Carnival To Aid Bomber Fund

Monday,



K. TONG v. CRAIGENGOWER . . . . Kowloon Tong League Bowls virtually lost all interest in the Second Division bowls championship when they were trounced 5-0 by Craigengower on Saturday. Tommy Lock is here shown directing his men against J. L. Stephens (K. Tong) who was beaten on this rink 25-9.--Ming Yuen.

# International Pennant To China

#### U.S. Navy Reduce Odds In Charity Series

WITH A SMASHING VICTORY that left no doubts as Happy Valley and thus said good-bye regards worthiness to hold the pennant, China humbled the to their hopes of winning the shield. United States 11-3 in the final of the local International Baseball Tournament on Saturday. But Uncle Sam's navy lads managed to take two points, and are regained much of their lost prestige yesterday, when they now eight points shead of Kowloon narrowed the odds in the Charity Series by beating Hongkong 7-3 to put the score on a 2-1 base.

three times in the initial stanza, but

The five runs in the second frame

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New York, Aug. 30. Bobert Riggs, former Wimbledon and

American Singles grass court Tennis

champion, and Frankie Kovacs, who

has voiced an ambition to win the

United States National Singles title five.

times in succession, are expected to

fight out the American Singles cham-

pionship which begins to-day on the

title is very open, with several young players challenging Helen Jacobs, a

world famous Forest Hills' courts.

therenfter were scoreless.

Scores were:

Yesterday's nightcap tangle. The Stars and Stripes opened up saw the Marauding Mohawks in a convincing manner, crossing come through 18-6 over South

China. the close struggle that had featured China's pavillon. the previous two games when, after the third, the scores were deadlocked at 3-all.

For two whole innings there was no change. Three times Hongkong went to but without addition to their total, and the U.S. Navy U.S.A. finally came through for victory in their sixth canto.

The tars connected for five solid hits off pitcher Lau in this fatal frame, and four batters crossed the plate. And the four-run lead was too much for the All-Stars, there being no further scoring. Scores inning by inning were: Hongkong

U.S. NAVY:

CHINA went "to town" in decisive ball language when they romped former champion, for the honour national final on Saturday.

# **Uraigengower** Senior

NEEDING FOUR POINTS to be certain of the First Division Bowls Championship, Cralgengower C.C. scored five against Civil Service C.C. on Saturday, They last won the championship in 1936.

Other leading teams in the First Division also won their fixtures. while of the bottom teams Kowloon B.G.C. "B" are still in the greatest danger of relegation.

K. Tong Slip In the Second Division, Kowloon Tong slipped up badly by going down in all rinks to Craigengower C.C. at Kowloon Football Club, the League leaders, were also beaten, but they Tong, each team having three more

matches to play. result of the smashing defeat of Every moment you expect something Kowloon B.G.C., the League leaders, by Hongkong F.C. at Happy

Valley. Although still in the lead, K.B.G.C. The Charity series would have gave China a two-run lead, but the are only half a point ahead of the been over 3-0 had Hongkong's All- succeeding inning brought in another Indians-who beat Hongkong C.C. Stars scored another win yesterday, five which set up a breeze to unfurl 5-0-and four and a half points and the game had the earmarks of the International pennant over ahead of the Police, who have three matches in hand. The Police are thus in a very strong challenging position.

#### FIRST GAMES IN U. S. NATIONAL TENNIS TOURNAMENT

NEW YORK, Aug. 30 (UP) .--The United States Men's and Women's Singles Lawn Tennis Championships made a start to-day on the world famous Forest Hills courts, scene of many an international and National championship, when Don McNeill, reigning Men's champion, entered the second round, while several matches in the Women's section in which the title is vacant, were also played. vorld famous Forest Hills' courts.

The United States' Women's Singles of the first to gain the second round. ung Frank Kovac, highly fancied for the a final, beat Bernard Welsh 6-3, 4-6, 6-1, of 7-5, and G. S. Lyttleton-Rogers, Irish ncross the plate ten times in the becoming the successor to Miss Alice beat Marshall Chambers 6-3, 6-2, 1-6, and in all on Saturday.

In the plate ten times in the becoming the successor to Miss Alice beat Marshall Chambers 6-3, 6-2, 1-6, and in the beat Marshall Chambers 6-3, 6-2, player, beat Ronald Edwards 6-4, 7-5 1-1 Edward Dall beat Russell Bobbitt 6-0, 6-2, 6-3.

Wood Beaten Gordon Mulloy, a seeded player, beat Sydney B. Wood Jr., 1931 Wimbledon Champion and 1935 U.S. National

Bryan "Bitsy" Grant, Jr., h. Davis
Cup player and formerly strong contender for the National Singles crown, best Ray Gladman 7-5, 6-3, 6-3, Robert L. Riggs, present holder of the Wimbledon Singles and Doubles titles and causes, and it is not anticipated that penstall 6-2, 6-4, 6-3,

6-3, 6-3, while Miss Helen Bernhard sporting needs. beat Mrs Madge Vosters 6-1, 6-2.-United Press.

## Military-"Y" Gala To-morrow

With the Hongkong Area Swimming Championship barely a fortnight away, to-morrow night's Inter-Club Swimming gala between the European Y.M.C.A., the Combined Royal Artillery, the Fortress Royal Engineers, the Middlesex Regiment and the Combined Small Units including the Royal Corps of Signals, in the "X" interesting.

Changes

The programme is more or less the same as that of the quadrangular gala of August 21 except that one or two changes have been made. The Medley relay will be of teams of six, but each swimmer will only cover 25 yards inwill perform. A new event is the six Priscilla two lengths behind in third men relay of 900 yards, each covering place. six lengths of the pool.

Arrangements Completed: To Be Held On Oct 3

### Attractive Wrestling Bouts

(By "Tinker")

AT LONG LAST! The resurrection of boxing in ship in the First Division by a Hongkong has received the attention of a man who is margin of four points.

The Hongkong Royal Naval Volunteer capable of more than words. A show is going on. The Reserve "A" team having failed to capable of more than words. A show is going on. The venue—the Star Theatre, Kowloon—and the date— October 3-have been fixed.

More than that, the top names on the bill have been thosen, and others are in the process of selection.

And it's all in aid of the Bomber Fund.

weight champlon of London, is Aquatics. the promoter. He has chafed for quite some time at the inactivity of the Colony, and here sees the opportunity not only of giving boxing a life impulse but of performing a dual serviceaiding the Bomber Fund as well.

When I last wrote on this subject, it was hoped that the European Second Time In One Week Y.M.C.A. would lend their basketball court, especially in view of the worthiness of the cause, but "premature" publicity, so I am told by the one who should know, put the inverted "V" sign on the plan.

Another excuse, which is far stronger, is that the "Y" authorities thought that the court would be damaged by the erection of a ring. It is cement concrete.

However, the show is going on. Wrestling Bouts

LL-IN wrestling bouts are two A of the outstanding features on the programme. The first of these is between two contenders for the heavyweight title of the Punjab! -Killer Hassan and Superman

The second bout is between Tiger Singh and the Black Bomber. If you've ever seen a man tangled in a "crocodile clutch," the short arm The Third Division Champion- lock or the "rocking-chair" you know ship has become more open as the the thrills of gory anticipation.

#### Hole In One

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Playing at Kowloon Golf Club on Saturday, A. J. Dennis holed the short 2nd in one.

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to break or give-but it doesn't. The game stops short of disablement.

This is a form of wrestling that in its inception took the United States by storm. It is still immensely Chun-man). Time 72 2/5.

120 yards medley relay.—1. Lai Tsun (Lau Yiu-ting, Tsang Cheong-ming and Colli Lau Tai-ping); 2, Hongkong University 341. popular, but clowning and commer-cialism have made it more a spec-tacle than a sport.

Mixed members 50 yards handleap,

1. Ko Wai-hung: 2. Lo Shui-fook: 3,

Miss Mok Sum-lan. Time 38 secs.

Women's 50 yards breast-stroke (Memtacle than a sport.

However, in this event, both bers)—1, Miss Tsang Fung-kwan; 2, Miss Ko Mui-ling; 3, Miss Lo Po-kam. Time Killer Hassan and Superman Singh 39-2/5 secs. both claim to being first challengers to the Punjab title, and in this handleap).—1. Kong Yiu-ming; 2. Tsang Cheong-po; 3, Ko Wal-hung. Time 1 min the bout promises to be one of real

sport—the outcome to settle the dispute.

Prominent Boxers

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But the wrestling does not rob the boxing of its attraction.

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100 yards—1, Chan Chun-nam (Lai Tsun) and Lau Tai-ping (dead heat); 3, J. C. Fenton (H.K.U.), Time 62-2/5 sees.

160 yards relay.—1, Lai Tsun (Tsang Cheong-ming, Yau Sai-kwan; Chan Chun-nam and Lau Tai-ping); 2, Hongkong University (Au Kwok-kee, Hui Kwan-lun, J. C. Fenton and Ng Chun-man).

Time 1 min 28-1/5; Several bouts will be put on, prominent among which will be a heavyweight match between Private Moran, of the Middlesex Regiment, and A.N. Other. It is a bout that will provide mili-

tary circles with a keen interest in the tournament. They are, in fact, the only true supporters of boxing in

former U.S. champion, beat Robin Hip- they will fail in this, for the tournament not only increases Britain's war ment not only increases Britain's war meters free-style; Men's 50 metres fancy seeded women players, entered the second round of the Women's Singles when she beat Mrs Norman Barber whom she beat Mrs Norman Barber who will cater to one of the Colony's Staff 100 metres free-style; Long plunge. seeded women players, entered the effort, but it may mean much towards

> LONDON, Aug. 30 (Reuter) .to 1 and others offered.

There will be no entrance fee, but by Harry Wragg, Big Game scored its Club, returned a time of \$1.5 seconds collection box will be at the door, Aith win of the season, having on three for the distance, the former record

## Police "A" Set New Record In Small Bore League

POLICE "A" established a new record aggregate score of 383 against the 22nd Fortress Company, Royal Engineers, in the First Division (Open sights) of the Hongkong Rifle Association's Miniature Rifle League during the period ending on August 24.

The Police Reserve team, who recorded victories over both the Golf 40th Fortress Company, Royal Engineers, and the Dockyard Rifle Club, retained their leader-

shoot in 11 of their matches, and being unable to fulfil the required two-thirds of their match engagements, have been withdrawn from the League, and the results of all their matches have been removed from the records. The 12 leading marksmen in the Open Sight League for the first half of the

A.S.I. P. H. Thong (H.K.P.R.) 12 93.36
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Sgt Puran Singh (H.K.P. "A") 12 91.0
Cpl Naranjan Singh (H.K.P. "A") 10 90.8
Sgt J. R. Wall (H.K.P. "A") 12 90.0
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In the semi-final round Marvin Ward Arst 18 holes, and there never scemed Cpi Charan Singh (ILK.P. "B") L/Cpi G. Pemberton (R.E. Stan-66.6 ches being over 36 holes.—Reuter.

L/Cpl G. Pemberton (R.E. Stanley)
Jem. Hasham Khan (Punjab "E") 8 88.6
L/Cpl E. Allo (R.E. Stonecutters) 4 88.0
NK. Lakhan Slagh (Rajput "A") 4 88.0
Latest Results
The following were the results of matches held during the week ending, August 24:
FIRST DIVISION—(OPEN SIGHTS)
Collinson R.C. "A" 304 v. R.A.F. "A" 331.
ath/7th Rajput "C" 333 v. Hoyal Scots
"C" Coy "A" 345.
Royal Scots "B" Coy 350 v. Middlesex S.

FOR THE SECOND TIME within a week, Chan Chunnam, Colony distance aquatic Middlesex "B" 313 v 5th/7th Rajput champion, has broken his own record for the quarter mile. This was during the Lai Tsun-5th/7th Rajput "D" 332 v Middlesen the final. Y.M.C.A. on Saturday night, Punjab "E" 322 v 2nd/14th Royal Scots "C" Coy 378 v 111K. Police Chan negotiated the distance R.E. 321. R.A.F. "A" 344 v 5th/7th Rajput; "A" Tied. TEAGUE STANDINGS in 5 mins 19.8 secs, which is almost six seconds better than and/14th Punjab "A" 327 v 2nd/14th Punjab "A" 327 v 2nd/14th Punjab "C" 316.

his record time of 5 mins 23.6 Punjab "C" 316.

LIK.V.D.C. "A" 34! v Royal Scots ILQ. almost six seconds better than 2nd/14th Punjab "B" 259 v Middlesex "A" 332. University were without the ser-5th/7th Rajput "B" 363 v. Middlesex vice of Charles Huang, and though competition was spirited and close, Royal Scots "A" Coy 306 v 5th/7th Rajput "D" 322, Zind (F) Coy R.E. 315 v Royal Scots the Lai Tsun stars were ever that bit better and won by the wide margin Second highlight of the evening was Chan's effort in the: 50 yards.

Royal Scots H.Q. Coy "A" 310 v Royal Middlesex "A" 339 v 2nd/14th Punja "D" 209.
Royal Scots "C" Coy "A" 328 v †H.K 40th (F) Coy R.E. 327 v HLK. Police 40th (F) Coy R.E. 338 v 5th/7th Rajput Middlesex "E" 337 v Middlesex "C" 316 Middlesex "E" 348 v 2nd/14th Punjat Dockyard Rifle Club 332 v tH.K. Police Reserve 372. Collinson R.C. "A" 329 v 5th/7th Rajpu (Members).—1, Miss Ko Mui-ling; 2, Miss Collinson R. Sa Wai-ying; 3, Miss Tsang Fung-kwan. Rifle Club 333. Collinson R.C. "A" 319 v Dockyar SECOND DIVISION 100 yards back-stroke,—1, Poon Wing-kai (Loi Tsun); 2, Lau Ylu-ting (Lai Tsun); 3, Luk Man-wai (H.K.U.). Time

†H.K.: Police "B" 358 v Royal Scott H.Q. Coy "B" 209, ‡R.A.F. "B" 313 v Royal Scots "C" Coy "B" 313† "H.K.V.D.C. "B" 309 v Royal Scots "D H.K.R.N.V.R. "B" 310 v Middlesex "F Middlesex "G" 270 v R.E. (Stonecutter Middlesex "II" 239 v R.E. (Collinson Collinson R.C. "B" 195 v R.E. (Stanley

APERTURE SIGHTS tH.K. Police "A" 387 v tH.K. Polic RAF. 389 v †H.K. Police Reserve "A" H.K. Police R. "A" ... 7 3 0 5 2507 H. K. Police R. "B"... 7 0 0 7 2500

Marvin Ward Wins Second U. S. Amateur Title

OMAHA, Nebraska, Aug. 30 (Reuter).-Marvin Ward, 1939 winner, to-day secured his second United States Amateur Golf Championship title when he beat Patrick B. Abbott, in the 36 holes final, four up and three to play. Ward was four up at the end of the

beat Bobby Riegel, of Texas, nine and eight, while Abbott beat Ted Bishop, of Massachusetts, by one hole, both mat-

Second Win For Collings and Low

T. B. LOW AND R. K. COLLINGS scored their second victory in Happy Valley summer golf competitions. when they won the Second Summer 2nd/14th Punjab "D" 332 v Royal Scots Foursomes yesterday, beating G. E. Willerton and T. J. Price 6 and 5 in

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#### Hongkong. Civillan enthusiasts have been too few to even call a section Singles runner-up to Wilmer Allison, South China Athletic Association of the population, but this, probably, will hold their fourth swimming it gala of the season at their Pavilion. LONDON DRY GIN North Point, to-morrow at 7.30,

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#### **FAVOURITES** ST LEGER King's Fifth Success

The Newbury.course beiting on the St Leger classic, which will take place on September 26, found Chateau La Rose joining Mazarin as joint favourite at 6 to 1 with 8 Sanlo and Saint Blazio, which were pool at 8 p.m. should prove very | both quoted at 100 to 1 at the last callover, have now been scratched.

King's Success

His Majesty the King's Big Game, by Bahram out of Myroballa, won a thrifling race to-day for the valuable Champar Stakes, by a short head, from Lord Derby's Watling Street, by Fairstend of 50, while in the plunging and way out of Ranal, with Lord Rose-diving, two compelitiors instead of one berry's Hyperides, by Hyperion out of

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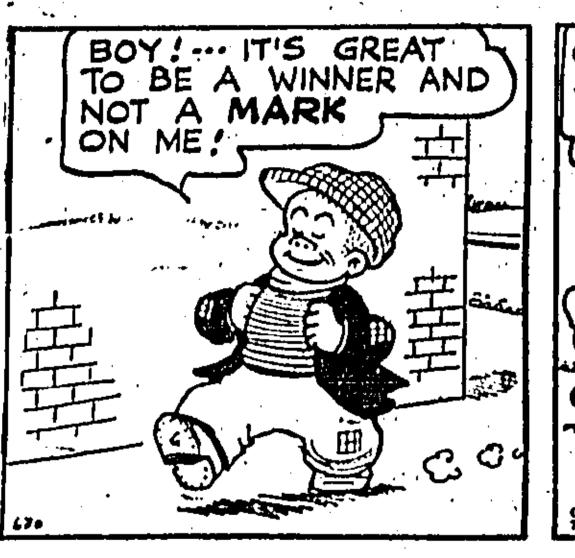
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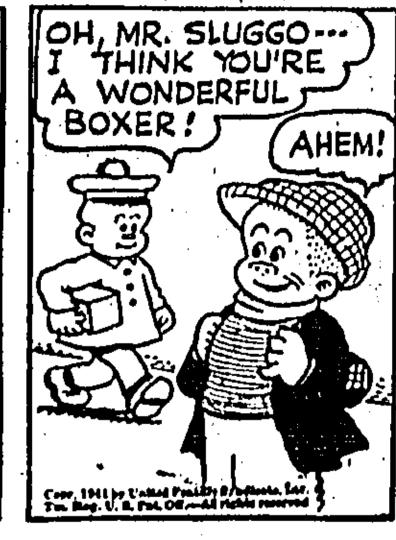
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By Ernie Bushmiller

## U. S. Communists All-Out For British Middle Classes

The National Committee of the Communist Party of the United States after an all-day meeting "somewhere in New York City," recently changed the party line again to make it fit rapidly changing international affairs.

Of special interest in the committee's publicity release were two startling declarations of new policy;
"Defend America by giving full
aid to the Soviet Union, Great Britain and all nations who fight against

"Preserve and extend the economic standards and democratic liberties of the American people . . . the workers, farmers, and middle classes! Stop monopoly war profiteering!"

lin-Moscow non-aggression pact— monthly donations. Many of these monthly donations. Many of these donors have now been giving regularly donors have now been giving regularly each month for over a year. The Fund has reached a total of \$2,508,482.78, the following being the latest list of dona-American "middle classes."

legates attended the policy con- in loving memory of "Grannie" ference, representing every state, voting unanimously for the new party line. However, the place of Victory the party meeting was kept secret.

ment that the war was brought on Mr A. R. Dimond (in loving by capitalist statesmen of the imperialist powers the committee's statement agreed that Hitler's plan Supreme Court Bomb (seventeenth was to "enslave the peoples of the

"There can be no peace for the peoples of the world without the complete destruction of Hitler and Saturday: Hitlerism." the statement sald. "Hitler Fascism stands exposed as the greatest and main enemy of the peoples of the world."

The new party line identifies "the greatest menace to the American people" as "the Hoovers, Lindberghs, Wheelers and Norman Thombses, the Coughlins and Hearts—the spokesmen of the most reactionary circles of the bourgeoise."

#### £200,000,000 Deal To Buy City Of London

The City Corporation may pay £200,000,000 to secure municipal ownership of the citadel of Capital, If the deal goes through the City of London will be the first city in Britain to pass into public owner-

Like all other municipalities, the City Corporation is viewing rebuilding plans from every aspect.

The rateable value of "the square mile" is about £8,300,000. This means a capital site value of something like £220,000,000.

So complicated and involved are the vested interests concerned City ownership that the Corporation Co.; one "Bowl of Rice" ticket, A Friend. may vote for outright purchase to complete its scheme for a new

#### Opportunity Missed

its opportunity.

plans for a beautiful city with broad fully acknowledges the receipt of a straight streets.

one side because of the City's rush garten class for 30 children in the Morto rebuild, and because of the insis- rison Itil Camp School. tence on the maintenance of their rights by owners of the land,

That is why the City is still intersected with narrow twisting alleyDoris Woods; \$3.

It is to be hoped that the Corporation will not be side-tracked this

Equally it is to be hoped that the deal will not put extortionate millions into the pockets of ground land-

#### Ford Optimistic Of Future

Henry Ford, celebrating his 78th of London this month. hirthday recently, is reported to He is to be succeeded by Barringhave said that he believes that after ton Ward, Assistant Editor since the war there will come an era "fill- October, 1927, ed with opportunity for everybody. Mr Dawson was editor of "The who can refrain from looking back- Times" from 1912 to 1919, leaving ward and who will go forward." after a quarrel with Lord Northelin - He has no fear of depression after over policy. He returned as editor the defence programme is concluded shortly after Lord Northeliff's passing if competition remains active.

He forecasts that industry will His long-time reditorship of the search for new materials, especially famous old "Thunderer" has been among the plastics, and that a notably independent on occasion and tremendous expansion in aviation he often has been recognised as an will give employment to millions in authoritative spokesman of the Gova new world.

## Monthly Bomber Donations

Heretofore—that is, since the Ber- Bomber Fund included a number of

Party spokesmen said that 145 de- Service Party Service Party from E. II.
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> donation) ...... The following monthly donations to the Bomber Fund were also received on

Mr Stunrt Longfield ..... Mr Kong I Sun J.P. ..... Mrs E. J. Grant ...... Mr R. C. Jones ..... Mr W. Hewitt ..... Mrs Annie Sharp ..... Misses Alleen & Dorls Woods .... 1 W. H. E. C. ..... 40

ORTHOPAEDIC CENTRES The following is a list of subscriptions received to date for credit of the British Fund for Relief of Distress in China, Hongkong and South China Branch, for Orthopaedic, Centres in Free China: Previously acknowledged, \$106,706.70; Kowloon Tong Garden City Association (being half proceeds of raffle at Club's Supper, Dance on 28/5/41), \$30; Mr Ng Manu. \$10; Mr Kwok Lam-po, \$60; Mr Kwong Tze-ming, \$10; Dr T. J. Hus. \$20; Through Messrs F. Fongkey & Co., \$147,50.

EMERGENCY REFUGEE COUNCIL The S. C. M. Post has received the following donation to the Emergency

Refugee Council: Sympathizers (114th Contribution) \$10. The Hongkong Refugee and Social Welfare Council acknowledges the following donations received during August; Students of Lingnan University for taking over garden crops, \$27.44; Kwong Sang Hong, \$500; Mrs B. J. Ruttonjee, \$20; O.C. c/o S. C. Mr. Post, \$5; Mr and Mrs E. D. Cemernie \$5; Sympathisers c/o S. C. M. Post (four weekly donations) \$40; H.R., \$25; Mrs Y. H. Poon, \$23.50; Mrs L. W. H. Poon, \$20; Foreign Auxiliary (contribution towards office salary), \$12.50; Mr W, H, L!, \$2. Donations in kind during the month

Chamber of Commerce: freightage on fifewood, Messrs Jardine, Matheson and Co.: 40 "Bowl of Rice" tickets, Mrs Rose Tan: 500 pieces of firewood, Union Firewood Co., Sandakan: freightage on all firewood, Messra Jardine, Matheson and PRISONERS OF WAR FUND The S. C. M. Post has received following donation to the British soners of War Fund "in memory of our beloved Mother," from Alleen and Dorls

Once before—after the Great Fire following donation to the Soup Kitchens in 1666—the City Corporation missed Appeal Fund "in memory of our beloved Mother," from Alleen and Doris Woods;

REFUGEES' CAMP SCHOOL Sir Christopher Wren drew up | The Director of Medical Services grategenerous gift of \$250 from an anonymous donor, who has kindly undertaken to give the initial equipment of, and to main-But Wren's plan was pushed on tain for one year, an additional Kinder-

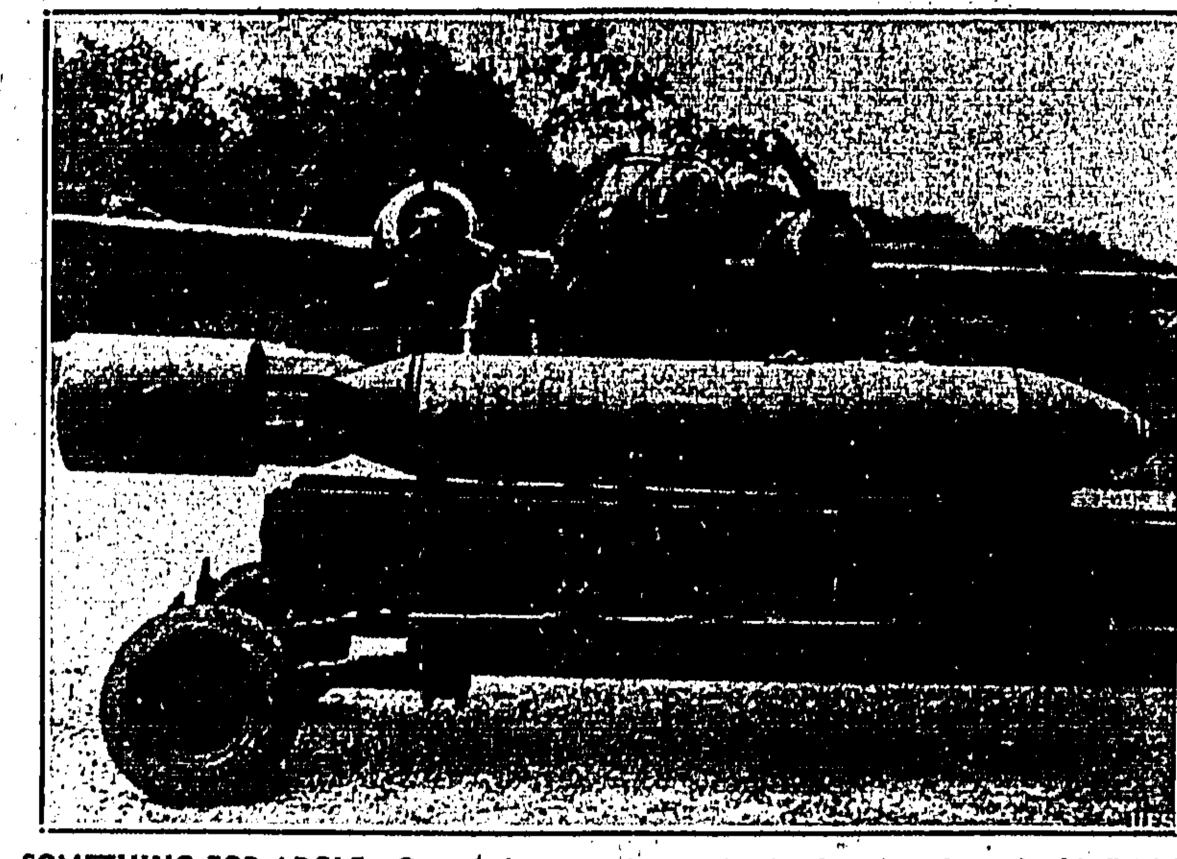
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#### Noted Editor To Retire

Mr Geoffrey Dawson plans to retire as editor of "The Times"

in 1022.

ernment point of yiew.



SOMETHING FOR ADOLF-One of the most destructive implements of war is this British 2,000-pound bomb, especially designed to pierce the heaviest armour. It is shown just before it was placed in the bomb rack of the plane in the background, for use against Germans.

# Credit Freezing Makes Economic Situation Of S'hai More Acute

By ROBERT P. MARTIN

SHANGHAI, Aug. 12 (UP).—Four years of war have placed Shanghai in an abnormal economic situation, which the freezing of Chinese and Japanese credits and continuance of the war apparently will make increasingly acute.

Trade between Shanghai and the hinterland is more difficult than trade between many foreign countries Toy Exports barrier. Japanese import commodity controls in the past year, combined with the increased circulation of Help To Pay military yen and new Nanking dollars, have further dislocated the economic structure.

dollars in Shanghai, but inves- business intercourse, Shanghailanders areas outside foreign conces- always in the background. sions and in the Nankingcould be repaired and operated.

cation right through the International is now Japanese-occupied and for- Anglo-American retaliation. Fifty "Bowl of Rice" tickets, Mr Leong eigners' rights there are curtailed.
Ful; 400 pieces of firewood. Sandakan Hongkey and Vangtzengo has Hongkew and Yangtzepoo have run their own public utility enter- nese dollars. prises in spite of franchises possessed

> by foreign ecompanies. Health Declines

restrictions, the settlement and the Morgenthau and T. V. Soong, Bank | try in service dress, Royal Indian French concession are now in an of China chairman, used the threat of Service Corps, and a special mounartificially isolated position, although freezing to harass Shanghai spec- tain battery, with guns, gunners, foreigners there have enjoyed greater ulators, resulting in large-scale repa- mules and mounted officers, as well security of life and property than triation of Chinese capital from the as old favourites like Hodson's Horse, elsewhere. However, there is an United States and large-scale recon- the Gurkha Rifles, Sikhs, Skinner's enormous congestion in population, version of United States dollar hold- Horse and the Bikanir Camel Corps. resulting in the decline of public ings into yuan. The latter move- Modern mechanical warfare is rehealth, increase in criminality and ments accounted for the firmness of flected in the strong demand for the mushroom growth of new small-scale the yuan's exchange value in the past latest models of tanks, aeroplanes, industries.

The greatest effect of war on Shanghal was the change in the direc-Donations for the following Organisations await collection at the office of the
S. C. M. Post: Lord Mayor's Pund for
has now become virtually completely the Relief of Air Victims; B.W.O.F.; dependent on commercial intercourse Emergency Refusee Council; British-Pri-sonets of War Relief Fund; Food Kit-chens Fund; St Vincent de Paul; S.P.C.A. viously it had depended on in con-

Shanghal in the past two years was forced to import from abroad all its President Quezon, in an unrice, most of its cotton, and half of scheduled radio talk recently, said he basis. This arose from currency culosis. hat inbour so enormously that local surprise to radio fans. When in- which holds weekly broadcasts on industrial products could compete formed of the desire of the Guild to timely topics of public interest is almost anywhere. Thus, the masses have him say a few words during made up of studnets and alumni of found their living standard lowered the unti-tuberculosis campaign pro- the Atenco de. Manila. President while a few made profits.

New Difficulties

There are millions of idle to put new obstacles in the path of tors are extremely reluctant are facing new and tremendous dif-although in Japanese-occupied Japanese occupation of the city

The Japanese have not occupied administered Greater Shanghai Shanghai because they had no desire municipality there are hundreds to antagonize third powers. Another of factories still in ruins which reason was that Shanghai provided a to go without their toys so that convenient trade outlet and a theatre they may be exported to help for "squeeze" and currency manipu-The war cut a new line of demar- lations. If Anglo-American freezing pay for the war. In London, orders eliminate these advantages, the world's largest makers of Settlement. The industrially importing the Japanese may move in unless tant eastern district of the settlement they are prevented by threats of

Anglo-American freezing orders International Settlement police and ended at a single blow Shanghal's now working entirely upon exthey pay taxes to the Shanghai privileged position as a free interna- port orders, and many of these municipality, but in most respects tional exchange market based on the are for India. they are Japanese-controlled areas, free convertibility of Anglo-Saxon In the eastern district of the settle- currencies against Chinese dollars.

The American freezing regulations fighting in the Near East. had been anticipated here for months. According to high-informed quar-As a result of the above-mentioned ters, U. S. Treasury Secretary Henry in 1941 lines like the Indian infanseven months.

# viously it had depended on a continuous and ample supply from the interior of cheap food, cotton and other raw materials, including com. War devastation, curtailed production, and Japanese diversion have Says Quezon

its coal supplies, and in the same expected to live 25 more years. He history, some on foreign currency the Philippines fight against tuber- great beyond. depreciation, which cheapened Shang- The President's remarks were a The Chesterion Evidence Guild

gramme, the chief executive gract- Quezon congratulated members of ounly consented. With Japaneso expansionism and The President recalled his fight matisation tof the nation's fight

# For The War

Toy soldiers and miniature war equipment direct from the war zone are the latest craze with children.

Children in Britain are having toy soldiers, who use about 500 tons of lead to make upwards of 12,500,000 items a year, are

The United States is buying five ment, the Japanese control and man- Japanese and Japanese-sponsored or six times as many British toy age a number of expropriated private currencles have all been inconverti- soldiers as it did before the war, Chinese industries and continue to ble for a long time except into Chi- and children there are showing special interest in the Empire troops

Young India is keenly interested Bren-gun carriers, barrage balloon units, Army lorries and motor

the traditional cowboys and Red Indians, Zulus and Togoland war-

flicts him for the second time and told a story of what one of his doctors in New York, Dr Giller, told him when asked how much longer he could live in view of his illness

period it exported abroad industrial spoke by remote control from Mala-stated, "I had 25 more years of life products formerly marketed in the canan over station KZRM on the if I had the will to live. In fact, I interior. Numerous corporations radio programme of the Chesterton think," he continued, "I will live earned the biggest profits in their Evidence Guild which dramatised another 25 years before I go to the

the Guild, for their interesting dra-Anglo-American freezing threatening against the illness, which now af- against the dreaded discuse. 

# Starvation Destroys One-Third of Shansi

One-third to one-half the population of southeastern Shanst Province, China, has been wiped out in the last few weeks by starvation and pestilence, according to a cable received in New York by United China Relief from George A. Hogg, American relief worker in Shansi.

Hogg's report, forwarded by the China Defence League in Hongkong, of which Mme Sun Yat-sen is president, said that "scorched earth tactics" had accounted for most of the deaths. He failed to indicate the number of victims, but Shansi Province's population is 10,681,090.

"Livestock has been killed! and produce destroyed, so that the population has been left without food," the report said. Shaw Tells

Epidemic Followed Epidemic Followed

Epidemic rapidly followed the devastation of all the south-eastern section of the province, with the result that the health conditions have become "monstrous," it was reported.

Describing the stricken area through which he had made a trip to evaluate relief needs. However, and the conditions have the evaluate relief needs. What's what to evaluate relief needs, Hogg said: "In almost every village and town on his 85th birthday recently that there were large numbers of empty is writing a new book on politics, and burned-out houses, fields were. Shaw said he would call it "Eve on his 85th birthday recently that he

Shaw said he would call it "Every-body's Political What's What." untended, live stock gone. More Than Half Ill "Everywhere there was a chance the A.B.C. of politics," he said. "My to make anything like a detailed book will be an elementary textbook survey it was found that more than book will be an half the total population had recently on the subject. been seriously ill with typhoid, typhus, relaping fever and influenza

eight, as some people seem to think. the wake of the army." The report ended with an appeal to the American Committee in Aid of Chinese Co-operatives and the mad of Hitler to attack Russia. China Aid Council two American relief groups which, through the what we were going to do to Hitler United China Relief Campaign are when Germany is beaten. co-ordinating their appeal for medical and material aid for devastated tion was: 'What is Russia going to do to him?'"

epidemics which swept the area in

## **Britons Held** In Morocco

Food Shortage Serious

Britions in Morocco are now being interned by the French authorities. Test Of A Good Up to now, except for a restricted area outside Casablanca, they have

been allowed to go free. The food situation in Morocco i becoming as critical as in France. Sugar and butter are almost unobtainable. Beef is obtainable only

once a week. As a result mutton and the native couscous are almost the unvaried diet, even in the big hotels.

designed as part of a system to put There are various signs; besides the Internment of Britons in Morocco, of Vichy's growing collaboration with the Nazis.

Germans Parade Parades of 'German troops take place daily in towns in the unoccupied zones.

of German and Polish wagons are constantly in waiting to take goods following cases: to Germany.

These goods are imports from the habits: French colonies.

Uniformed Germans are now seen 2. If the child suffers from hereeverywhere in the streets of the ditary diseases; town, which is completely under . 3. If the child is racially unclean; their control. As a result of new decrees France the orders of the Nazi party; and is now officially one of the most

active anti-Jewish countries in father-refuse to serve the interests Already more than 15,000 French and foreign Jews are stated to have those parents who are members of

tration camps.

help" for the third and subsequent children. This "help" will be paid At Sete, the Mediterranean port near the Spanish frontier, hundreds numbers, the same commissions being nuthorised to refuse payment in the

George Bernard Shaw announced

"It will explain simply that two

"It now seems clear that Russia is

"Somebody asked me the other day

"I replied by saying that the ques-

Asked what Russia would do to

"I am much more interested in

what Britain and America are going

to do about Russia when it's all

Little Hun

Proof that in spite of the victories

gained by Hitler many Germans refuse to accept the Nazi yoke is

afforded by the recent publication of new Nazi decrees which have been

Every German family shall get

what is described as "education

pressure on "unloyal" Germans.

.. Details of the scheme are:---

Hitler, Shaw answered: "I have not

the slightest idea.

plus two equals four-not seven or

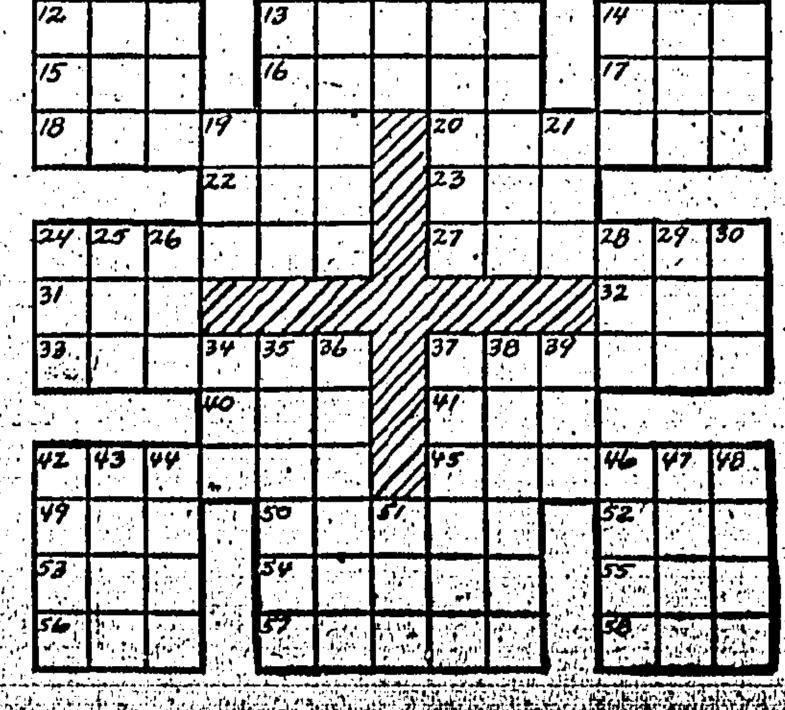
1. If the family has anti-social

4. If the child refuses to obey 5. If the parents—especially the of the Reich and the German nation. This means that practically only been arrested and sent to concen- the Nazi party will receive the much

advertised "education help."

## Crossword Puzzle

Dy LARS MORRIS 🚐 ANSWER TO ACROSS PREVIOUS PUZZLE 1—Sharp sound 2—Kind of rubber 3—Son of Adam 4—Clenus of thorns 1-Health resort 4-Straighten 9-Supply with weapons shrubs 5--Oires name of 12-Beize auddenly (co). 6-Man's pame 13-Felt concern 7-Placed one inside 14—More than sufficiently 8-Bwimmer of English channel 9-Tiniest division 15-Metric measure of area 10—Play bolaterously 11—Kind of plant 19—And also 21—The whole 16-Lower in estimation 17-Mystic ejaculations 24-Casual occurrence 18-Royal residence 25-In poor health 26-Confederate general 26-Bunix of Latin 20-Hobots 22-Of no importance origin 79—Loud noise 23-45 Inches 24-- Cirl's name (poss.) 30-Bring to close 27-Mislead mind of J4—Anthropold J3—Kind of whrub II—Beverage resembling Deer 32-Otannum 33-Oire pleasure to 36-Quarantee 37—Came forth 60-Betoken 62-Poured 63-By way of 37-Have purpose in B-Theodore 43—Hee's home 40-Kind of foke 54-Basket for carrying 44-Understand as 42-Moslem asnotuaries written music for faithful 55-At well as 40-Jicuyy vehicle 85-Old times 87-Wilful 45—Beat for riding 47-Narrow path 45-Finishes 51-Oo (dial.) 49-Peminine auffix 58-AN YOU RAY





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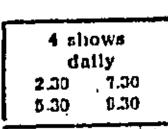
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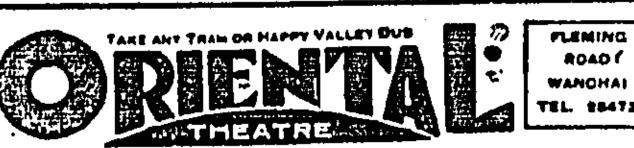
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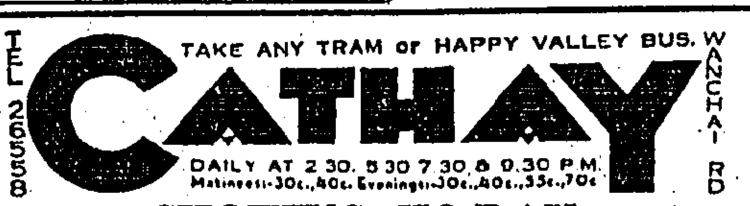
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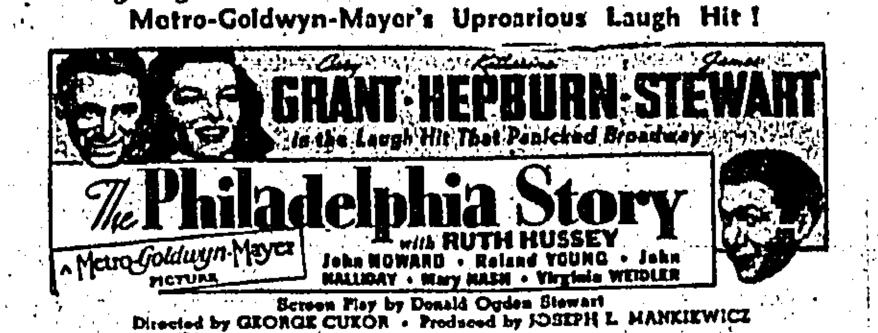
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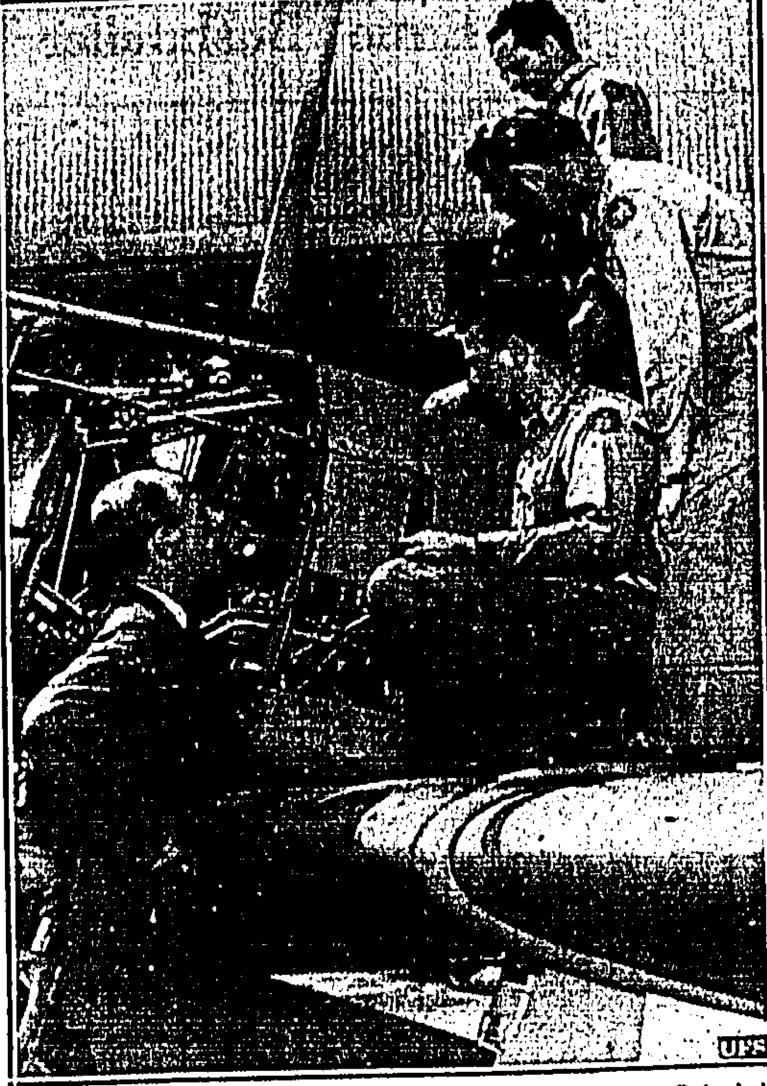


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HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

HALIFAX LOOKS IT OVER-Lord Halifax, left, Britain's Ambassador to U.S., looks over a North American Harvard training plane, at a plant in Los Angeles. This type of plane is used by Canada and England for training young

# Crack Dutch Hospital Ship For Wounded

BATAVIA (UP) .-- The conversion of the ocean liner. Oranje, into the world's most complete hospital ship has been a major Dutch war effort. The alteration of luxury lounges into spotless wards, the installation of a large operating theatre, and the covering of mosaic walls with white celotex was done in Australia.

The Oranje was built in Holland in 1939, displaces 20,000 tons, and has a top speed of between 26 and 29 knots an hour. It is claimed that she is the fastest motor ship afloat, aside from war vessels.

Professor Reddingius, foremost surgeon in the Netherlands East Indies, will head the medical staff, which is mostly Dutch. An executive officer staff and its command of twenty-five Australian and New Zealand medical corps men make up the ship's medical complement. volunteered and are signed on to No 520 The Dante in the Middelburg and several fires were started. help care for the Australian wound- No. 532 The Peak, in honour of the ed en route to Australia from war fronts in Europe and the Middle Netherlands.

nurses are aboard. so that men may be transported to turn. On this day our thoughts from deck to deck without the dis- go to our beloved Queen, who at the comfort of negotiating stairs.

located nearest the lifeboats. Armour-Plated

The wireless room and bridge have machine-gunning from planes. converted into liquid quickly, and brations in England. x-ray theatre.

mercy service, removing Anzae occasion. casualties from expeditionary forces until the conclusion of hostilities.

## ATTLEE ON MISTAKES OF HITLER

LONDON, Aug. 31 (Reuter). -Giving one answer to the question "Why have we not been invaded?" Mr Clement Attlee, Lord Privy Seal to-day said that "Hitler has found our when he arrived he was told: "W Air Force a much tougher proposition than he had ever imagined."

He added that Hitler had made the mistake of turning against Russia whose resistance so far was far stronger than, he had believed. Attlee emphasised that the people of inadequate." Britain were engaged in a fight in which everybody had to go all out, and any relaxation, even if only for Indian relations." n short time, might make the difference in the course of the fight. "We want to free ordinary men and women from the haunting fear that some time or the other they are going to have their homes and families attacked" sald Mr Attlee. "We want to free men and women from the fear that they may be deprived of the opportunity of earning ngain the folly of a world of potential no power to intervene."

under the fever of militarism that should be published.

#### Hollanders Celebrate Birthday Of Queen Wilhelmina

A very pleasant reception was held on Saturday night at the residence

wards and cabins.

One fenture of the vessel is the extensive mental ward that has been on the last birthday of Her Majesty,

Welcoming the guests, Mr Middel
The merchant ship was believed to have been hit by a torpedo.

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"Yesterday Bienheim aircraft of "Yesterday Bienheim aircraft of the state of the control of the control of the control of the wards and cabins.

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Australian and New Zealand male spirit of resistence in the Netherlands into the air. Considerable damage is growing," he said. "It seems that was done. A.cot lift has been built midships the chances of war are already about head of her Government in hospitable In the fracture wards beds can be England, works at the liberation of unslung so that they remain at one the Realm in Europe ... We wish her angle regardless of how much the good health and longevity. May she ship may roll. Also these wards are soon return to her country, liberated from foreign oppression."

A toast to Her Majesly was drunk been armour-plated to guard against to the strains of the Netherlands National Anthem, after which Mr J. A complete laboratory, a dentist's H. van der Laan, President of the office, a heat disthermy room have Committee of the Netherlands Day been installed aboard. Other special of Freedom in Hongkong addressed features are a milk room where the gathering, which later listened quantities of powdered milk may be in to the London relay of the cele-

Yesterday Mr Middelburg gave a The Oranje will continue in its short talk over ZBW to mark the

### Colour Bar In England Noted Indian Lawyer Turned Away

THE famous Indian lawyer, Sir Hari Singh Gour, was bombed out in England recently. He booked rooms at an hotel, but

don't take anyone but Englishmen.' Mr Herbert Morrison, the Home Secretary, admitted in the Commons that he was powerless to not against the hotel.

Told of this, Sir Harl retorted that Mr Morrison's reply was "hopelessly "He could have invoked the Emergency Powers Act and closed down

Mr Morrison Pressed The question was raised in the Commons by Sir Stanley Reed (Cons., Aylesbury), who asked Mr Morrison what he would do to prevent the in-

cident being repeated. Mr Morrison replied: "I understand that this allegation relates to an unlicensed private hotel. I have Eurl Winterton (C., Horsham) said plenty starving itself and suffering the names of the people concerned

#### Britain's Might After Bitter Struggle

FROM PAGE ONE

the call to arms by creating the Home Guard. Different Picture

How very different is the picture to-day of Britain's growing military might! The Army itself has been expanded till we have at least three million men under arms and these men are now well organised and commanded from generals to corporals. Our losses have been made good, we are powerfully armed with anti-aircraft guns, anti-tank weapons and field artillery which protect our towns, factories and our many widely-flung inval and air bases, stretching, as they do, from Iceland down to the west and east coasts of Africa, along the southern shores of Asia as far as Singapore and Hongkong into

the Pacific Ocean. Though the Army as a whole has not yet stepped on the slage to play a great decisive part in the offensive strokes which it will have to do to complete our victory, it is collecting and massing in two directions which are dictated by sound strategy for the location of our reserves, namely these islands, and the Middle East. Far East Reserves

The necessity of stopping Japanese aggression is causing us to collect a third reserve in the Pacific. The Army is getting ready to strike anywhere when the moment arrives.

But though our military forces have so far only been employed in small bodies, they have gained some glorious victories and have won successes which cannot be surpassed by ony army. Thus our first campaign in Libya, the Abyssinian campaign and the conquest of Syria were all carried out brilliantly against an nimy numerically far superior and equally well, if not better, equipped. To-day our forces are reaching a high standard of motorisation all over the world and tanks are arriving

in good and increasing numbers. In Britain Itself, the Home Guard, composed of civilians, are engaged in every kind of work and have reached a stage in training and equipment at which they must be seriously reckoned with in case of any attempt at

#### R.A.F. Raid Tripoli And Destroy Ships

FROM PAGE ONE

tons outside the harbour on fire from the stem to the funnel and two other ships of 5,000 tons each in the harbour burnt out and another alight at two points. Fires at the base of the Karamanli Mole were still burning. Benghazi :

"At Benghazi, a low-level attack was made on a ship at Juliana Mole and a cloud of white smoke was seen after the attack. "Aircraft concentrated on Berka

Aerodiome were machine-gunned. "Aircraft of the Fleet Air Arm bumbed store dumps north of Bardia "During the night of August 29-

30, aircraft of the Fleet Air Arm bombed Gerbini Aerodrome (Sielly) and carried out a machine-gunning "Other aircraft of the Fleet Air

Air-Cooled Wards

The Oranje accommodates, 700 sent, mostly members of the local beds, many of which are in air cooled

Dutch community, and some Chinese.

Dutch community, and some Chinese.

Sleily and attacked the convoy.

specially built in the promenade which was celebrated in the same the R.A.F. bombed the power houses deck. Barred portholes and wired- room, they could say without being of munition factories of Licata and in exercise space are in evidence, over-optimistic that the future for obtained a number of direct hits on and a number of padded cells have their country looked better than ever. each target. Clouds of smoke were "Our allies are undefeated and the seen and debris was thrown, high

Abyssinia "In Abyssinia, R.A.F. and South African Air Force aircraft bombed and machine-gunned enemy fortified positions at Deberech on August 29 and again yesterday, direct hits being observed on the forts, huts and

trenches. "From all these operations, one of our aircraft is missing."

#### Bowden Transferred To Singapore

SYDNEY, Aug. 31 (Reuter).-The Australian Trade Commissioner to China, Mr V. G. Bowden, has been eppointed official Australian representative in Singapore with authority in political, commercial and administrative matters.

He will be assisted by a commercial secretary and a political officer. The United Kingdom Government have welcomed the move.

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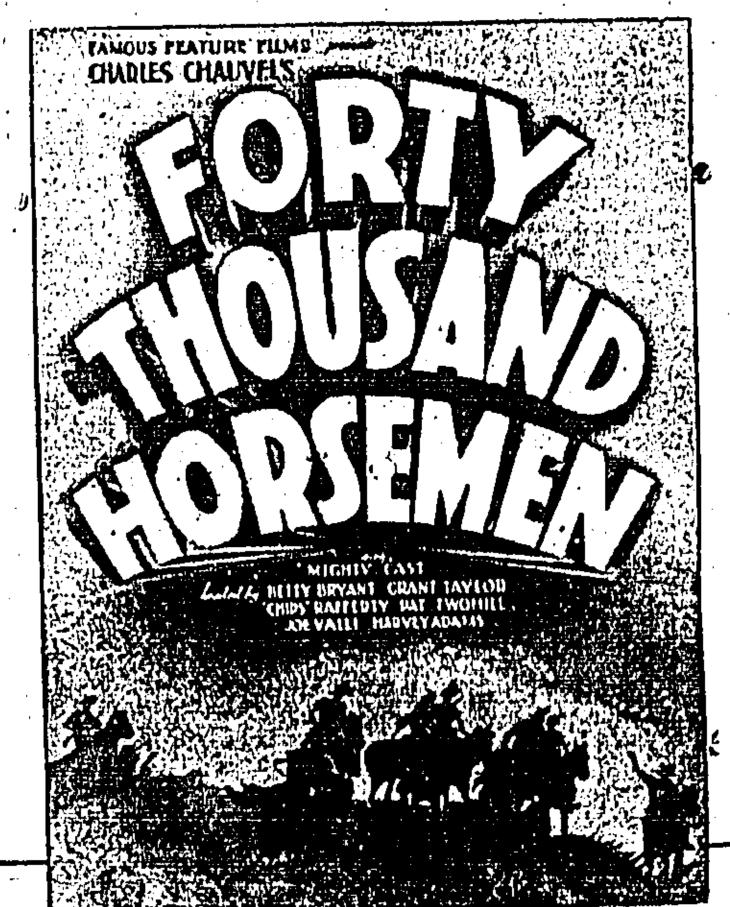


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British Women

At War Work

British women are in-

creasingly being drafted

into the factories to help in

the British war effort.

This picture shows girls

"manning" machines for

producing parts for anti-

tank guns at a Ministry of

Supply factory.

## Strength of Anglo-Soviet Alliance Re-Emphasised

LONDON, Aug. 31 (Renter).—"We will fight to the end until Hitlerite Germany is utterly and completely crushed," said M. Ivan Maisky, Soviet Ambassador, speaking to-day.

"My people are fighting heroically and with the greatest determination. They are building no half-way course." Declaring that his people had not the slightest doubt of the final issue, M. Maisky asked, "But what of the price?"

He went on: "The Soviet people have already sustained many losses and sacrifices in men, material and territory with the possibility of future losses and sacrifices. But everyone of them knows and everyone here knows that the closest possible military, economic and political co-operation between the peoples of Britain and the Soviet Union is the way to reduce those sacrifices to as low a level as possible."

# CHANNEL ALIVE WITH PLANES

R.A.F. Sweeps Over France Special to the "Telegraph"

FOLKESTONE, Aug. 31 (UP).—The skies over the Channel to-day was alive with bombers and fighters of the R.A.F. who were staging one of the biggest shows for days, in which at least three major sweeps were made over the Continent and Northern France in what virtually a "shuttle service" ever since breakfast time.

Heavy Bombing

Official Communique

considerable scale, says a

le Trait near Rouen.

operations were two fighters.

were no British losses.

—rising into the air.

sequently storted burning.

Feeble Reply

day, exceptionally light German air

Last night-when especially un-

raids on Cherbourg and the Dutch

R.A.F. Raid

And Destroy Ships

the R.A.F. carried out heavy raids on Tripoli during the night

of August 29-30," says to-night's R.A.F. communique from the

Middle East. "Some 25 tons of bombs were dropped and at the

end of the bombing, the whole of the Spanish Quay was on fire

with great clouds of black smoke—apparently from an oil store

hit and set on fire. One of these Into the air. The first spread along

vessels was later seen to be the Mole to-a petrol depot where an

"Two ships, one of 8,000 tons manli Mole and from one of them,

CAIRO, Aug. 31 (Reuter).—"The Bomber Command of

favourable weather did not prevent

ATTACK ON ed to be everywhere up and TURKEY across the cliffs while bombers flew high above them. POSSIBLE

#### Reported German Preparations

Sea thrust and the readiness of be seen dimly. her possible victim Turkey, to Experienced observers agreed that this was one of the heaviest R.A.F. meet any challenge.

With Turkish cities only a daylight sweeps during the war. few miles from blacked-out Europe blazing lights to-night in marking the anniversary of the out a series of operations over the defeat of the Greeks 19 years ago, and the buildings of all munique. large towns festooned with flags and streamers, a sombre warn- and our fighters also escorted ing came from Moscow that Hitler is preparing a "treacherous attack" on Turkey and in the Lille area, on a German that to this end, he had stationed berodrome at Lannion, in Brittany, four divisions on the Turkish on rallway communications at several frontier.

Supplementing this are reports from Istanbul that Nazi officers are experienced and there were few studying Turkish terrain and instructing troops on the methods of "passing over natural borders."

Further German forces are said this afternoon bombed objectives at to be moving up to the border region, Bremen. Our losses in all these well-informed Istanbul circles estimating that in the "near future Germany intends to bring the number of her troops on the Turkish border to 300,000.

Army's Designee ... But there is another side to the picture. Those who had any linger-TURN to Back Page, Column 5

LATEST

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Special to the "Telegraph"

SHANGHAI, Aug. 31 (UP).—Japan is facing the most critical period since she signed the tripartite alliance, and the results of the current Japanese-American conversations may determine for the Konoye Government the possibility of whether there shall be war or peace in the Pacific.

This was the unanimous opinion expressed to-day by the first American arrivals from Japan since the furore created by the charges that the Japanese were detaining Americans as hostages. The arrivals included members of the Consulate staff on home leave to the United States as well as army and navy language officers.

They said that the Japanese! are confronted with the gravest economic difficulties as a result of the freezing and the embargo, while the more radical elements while the more radical elements are clamouring for swift action to break the economic and mili-Spitfires and Hurricanes seemtary encirclement forcibly.

German circles are not showing any

#### Rapprochement Possible

Rumblings from occupied France indicated heavy bombing. The first Members of the United States flight was heard at breakfast time. Embassy believed that there is a Another big flight of bombers and possibility of a Japanese-American fighters were seen by citizens on the rapprochement at present which will south coast who were returning from guleten the Paelile situation tem-ANKARA, Aug. 31 (Reuter). church. It is believed that a third porarily; however, they are not —As the war drama gathers Some of the planes headed for the agreement to which the Japanese had narrow escapes during to two new aspects of the situation of Belgium. This affer- view of the fact that Japan is companied the planes are not continued the planes headed for the agreement to which the Japanese air raid day's savage Japanese air raid on Changling. confront observers-Germany's moon's flights headed due east and mitted to an expanding empire policy on Chungking. preparations for the next Black others took a southerly direction, which is incompatible with the some flying so high they could only United States attitude toward forcible measures aimed at acquiring territorial and economic hegemony.

#### The Alternatives

These Americans left Japan before the Roosevelt-Nomura conversations; the staff, were working at their the Roosevelt-Nomura conversations; the stant, were working at their however, they said that Japanese headquarters at the Standard officials are most hopeful that the Oil cottage on the top of the LONDON, Aug. 31 (Reuter),celebration of Victory Day, During the day the R.A.F. has carried officials are most hopeful that the Oil cottage on the top of the negotiations would be successful in Channel and northern France on a permitting the resumption of trade, ending the current economic impasse Yangtse, when a bomb fell 150 and enabling the Konoye civilian yards away. Several fighter sweeps were made Government to retain its power. A fallure in the negotiations would nobody was injured, despite the fact Blenheim bombers which attacked result in the overthrow of the Cabinet that no nir raid shelter is available targets in occupied territory. Bombs and the establishment of a complete at this spot. were dropped on industrial targets military Cabinet which woud be like- Members of the Embassay staff

They said that although Japan had surrounded the previous negotiations with the closest secreey, the import-! Bombs destroyed the home of Mr

Little opposition from fighters was One enemy fighter was destroyed A Flying Fortress on reconnaissance the developments.

LONDON, Aug. 31 (Reuter) .- are convinced that if the present bombs. During the week ending at dawn to- negotiations fail there will be no Approximately 200 Japanese boming on the developments of the morning, unloading hundreds same week has been the R.A.F.'s would then be forced to support an damage. continuous day and night activity, army expansion programme.

Only A Gesture

Tripon

"Three fires broke out on Kara-

another extensive fire.

# down the Channel, many skipping the rooftops and zooming ping the cliffs while bombers in her foreign policy, while official

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER

U. S. Embassy Staff Bombed In Chungking

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

CHUNGKING, Aug. 31 (UP). -Members of the American Embassy, including the Am-

Mr Gauss, together with the First Secretary, Mr John Carter Third Secretary, Mr John S. Service\_and\_other\_members\_of hill on the south bank of the

Although the house was damaged,

ly to move precipitately either to the went to the cottage which is in the south or north, possibly bringing the so-called "safety area" in order to points and on shipbuilding yards at several Pacific crisis to a head sometime in escape the anticipated interruptions caused by the raids.

#### Mission School Damaged

ance attached to them was demons- | Arnold Vaught of Chicago, who is trated by the fact that the Cabinet head of the Friends' Mission, and ment and people of Burma. informed the Emperor constantly of also wrecked the Mission school, classrooms, dining rooms and dormi-The Japanese navy is at present tory; however, there were no casualsupporting the Conservatives such as ties. Mr Vaught's home and mission Baron Hiranuma in the Cabinet, schools in Chungking were previously however, it is said that the Japanese destroyed on May 4, 1939 by Japanese

alternative except a military Govern- bers raided the Szechwan areas activity was seen over Britain. The ment which would act very swiftly to-day, of which 27 attacked Chung- common task. enemy lost three bombers. There either to the north or south depend- king and the western suburbs this The most significant feature of the Russo-German war end that the navy bombs, but with apparently little

#### Japanese Story

According to a Shanghai message, SHANGHAI, Aug. 31 (UP) .- The the Japanese Central China Flect TURN to Back Page, Column 3 TURN to Back Page, Column 5 Chungking bases as well as at Hand yang, Changsha, Langshultan and as the adviser. Chuchow in Hunan and Lingchwan in Kwongsi.

Naval bombers scored direct hits on the heatiquarters of the Ninth Route Army in the Changsha district. Lanchow was very severely bombed while on Friday, Slanyang in Shensi was raided and on Saturday Chungking was heavily bombed.

SYDNEY, Aug. 31 (Reuter). flames which were visible from a -The Congress on Friendship and the other of 5,000 tons, were great distance rose hundreds of feet and Ald to Russia passed a resolution urging Australian ablaze from stem to stern. explosion took place followed by representation at all Angloexploded.

on the quayside and loading wharves, and also an exchange of Am. Attache, who is present in India, will clearly absurd.

"Hits were also scored on another "Reconneissance on the following medium-sized ship, which sub- day showed a merchantman of 8,000 bassadors and military, naval the Military Attache's office of the Faced with the TURN to Back Page, Column 5 and air missions with the Soviet, British Embassy here.

# Nazis Lose Heavily Attempts To Cross Dnieper MOSCOW, Aug. 31 (Reuter).—The Germans have made repeated attempts to

Vincent, the Second Secretary, cross the Dnieper at one point and have been thwarted after two days' efforts to Mr Everett Drumright, the place a pontoon in position.

# Burma To Visit UK

LONDON, Aug. 31 (Reuter). -The Premier of Burma, the Hon. Mr U. Saw will shortly visit Britain. He will convey personally to the Government and people of Britain a message of goodwill from the Govern-

he would try to secure the greatest aerodromes. good for the greatest number and he appealed to all classes and com- German aircraft were destroyed in munitles in Burma to unite in the nerial combats and on enemy acro-

Burma's geographical position gives her a great and growing importance which goods from abroad can reach

# ENEMY TRICK

Invasion Barges LONDON, Aug. 31 (Reuter).-The

barges which has been given out Germans have discovered the switched over during recent weeks over the enemy controlled radio Red Army to be a much tougher from the primary objective of desshould be treated with the greatest reserve it is pointed out in authoritative quarters who add that it might pected and it may generally be jective of greatly weakening the well be a piece of propaganda. dispersed were those along the ally impaired. French and Dutch consts.

#### This is announced in a supplement to the Soviet communique. It says that in this attempt, the Germans nearly 1,000 sappers' infantry killed.

Germans who assembled large infantry forces near a town on the right bank of the Dnieper also lost 50 tanks, six antiuircraft batteries and a large number of pontoons.

#### Communique

The following is the text of the communique issued by the Soviet Information Bureau at 11 p.m. G.M.T.: Mr U Saw has been a Minister fought the enemy along the whole tacked an Italian squadron of since 1939 and Premier since 1940. front. Our air force dealt concen-Shortly after becoming Premier, he trated blows at the enemy panzer issued a statement outlining the troops, infantry and artiflery and by six destroyers and flying policy of his Ministry, stating that destroyed enemy aircraft on their boats.

dromes. We lost 24 alreraft."

#### Four Enemy Ships Sunk Dramatic Work By A British Submarine

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" LONDON, Aug. 31 (UP).— An Admiralty communique states that a British submarine sank four enemy supply ships and damaged two others in re-MOSCOW, Aug. 31 (Reuler) .- cent operations in the Mediter-

l rancan. On the afternoon of August "During August 31, our troops 24, a British submarine atthree six-inch cruisers escorted

A strong enemy counter-"In the course of August 29, 25 attack prevented the submarine from observing the results of the

# in the Far East. As a neighbour of China she has for some time past been the main channel through

(By "Reuter's" Special Correspondent)

MOSCOW, Aug. 31.—With weather conditions deteriorating especially in the northern and central fronts, the Germans are clearly determined to achieve, if not a decisive at any rate a crippling blow to the Russian army, or at least to Russian industrial power within the next month.

Can they succeed? The last | destruction | and encirclement, the story of the dispersal of enemy weeks have shown that the German policy appears to have proposition than they had ex- troying the Russian Army to the ob-

man ensualties amount to 2,000,000 Dnieper bank, which is only a little over what the Germans themselves admit when say-CHUNGKING, Aug. 31 (Reuter) .- ing that their losses are only one out by the Russians, they will be Soviet talks in which the Pacific It is learned that Colonel Lovat- third of the Russian "five million unable to make much use of them, Some time later a small ship "Other small fires were observed and the Middle East are involved Fraser, former British Military casualties." The latter figure is if any, but they at least have de-

Change of Policy toughness and genius in cluding TURN to Back Page, Column 5

ive quarters who add that it might pected and it may generally a Russian war, potential. True, the vell be a piece of propaganda.

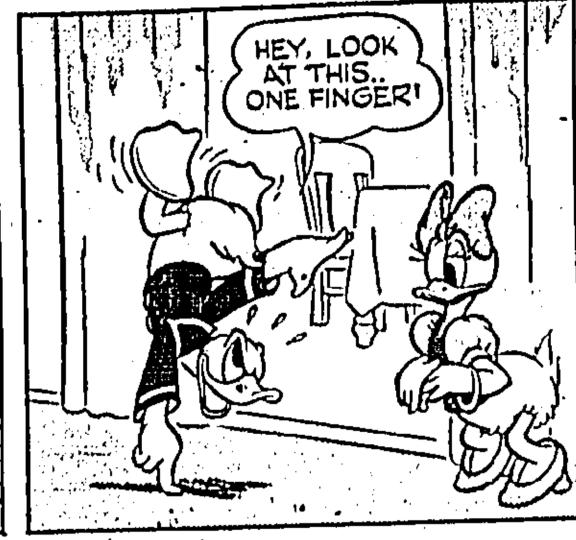
The barges supposed to have been fighting power is not substanti- Moscow industrial area but they have captured a major part of the industry According to Russian figures, Ger- and iron ore mines on the right

> Owing to the destruction carried: prived the Russians of part of the Ukraine industry and particularly Faced with the Russian Army's iron ore, without which the coal and

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#### DUCK -DONALD

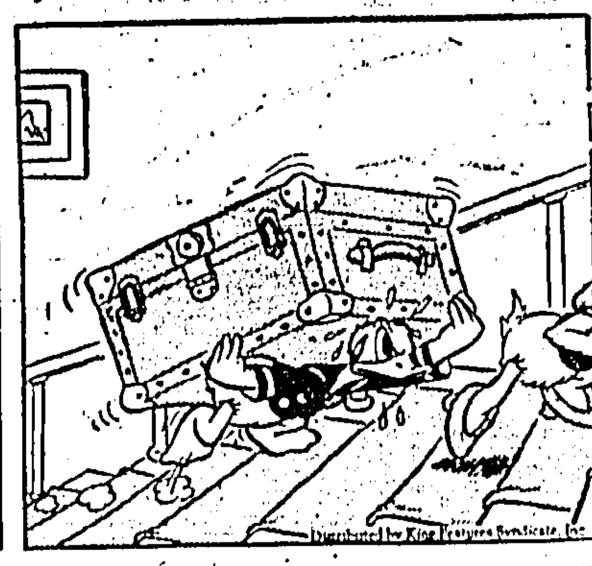






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best pictures in the Competition, will not be entitled to any other B.—The prizes will be awarded to the competitors sending in what are adjudged to be the best photographs in each Section. Each entry must be accompanied by a form which will be published during the period of the Competition, and which must be posted on back of chtry.

pasted on back of entry. 4.—The right to publish any or all of the entries is reserved to the

Hongkong Telegraph. 5.-All photographs entered must have been taken in the Colony of Hongkong. Photographs which have been already entered in other Competitions are ineligible.

6.—No responsibility will be accepted for non-delivery of, loss of, or damage to entries. 7.—All entries to be either black, sepia, or toned pictures, and must be mounted. Coloured photo-

graphs are incligible. 6,-Pictures submitted in sepia tones should be accompanied by a smaller print in black and white. 9,-No picture to entered in more

10.-Mounts to be only white or cream, must be of one of the following sizes:-10×12, 16×20. .11.—No correspondence will be en'cled into in connection with the Com-

12.—Members of the Staffs of the Hongkong Telegraph and the South China Morning Post are not permitted to compete. 13,-The decision of the Judges shall

14.-At the conclusion of the Competition, entries will be returned to competitors on application at the Telegraph offices within seven

15,-The use of alleges is strictly

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#### ATTLEE ON MISTAKES HITLER

LONDON, Aug. 31 (Reuter). -Giving one answer to the question "Why have we not been invaded?" Mr Clement Attlee, Lord Privy Seal to-day said that "Hitler has found our Air Force a much tougher proposition than he had ever

\imagined." He added that Hitler had made the l Street to Jackson Road will mistake of turning against Russia Attlee emphasised that the people of Britain were engaged in a fight in which everybody had to go all out, Government House to Garden and any relaxation, even if only for

"We want to free ordinary men and women from the haunting fear that some time or the other they are Road will be closed to all going to have their homes and vehicular traffic during the families attacked" said Mr Attlee "We want to free men and women from the fear that they may be 'dement House to Queen's Pier prived of the opportunity of carning which is of approximately 5 | their living, and we want to prevent again the folly of a world of potential Motor cars containing guests plenty starving itself and suffering

# Blitzed Press

CHUNGKING, Aug. 31 (Central News).-During the Japanese bombing of Chungking this afternoon, both the editorial and printing departments of "Yi Shih Pao," wellknown Chinese Catholic paper formerly published in Tientsin, received several direct hits and were completely wrecked. Fortunately, all the staff members and workers Connaught Road between | took shelter in advance and escaped-

Bishop Paul Yupin, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the paper, declared that despite the bombing, the paper will never cease publication. The paper had a history of 26 years combating Japanese aggression.

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12.40 Musical Comedy. 1.0 Local Time Signal and Pro-

gramme Summary. 1.02 Compositions of Haydn. Quartet In G Major, Op. 64, No. 4, Pro Arte Quartet (String Quartet); With Verdure Clad (From "The Creation"), Helene Ludolph (Soprawith Orch.; Menuet, Pau Casals ('Cello) with Piano accomp. 1.30 Reuter and Rugby Press and

Announcements. 1.45 Dance Music. 2.15 Close Down. 6.0 Indian Programme. 6.45 Closing Local Stock Quota-

6.47 Schumann-Trio In D Minor, Cortot, Thibaud and Casals (Instr.

7.18 Viennese Orchestras. 7.48 Sandy MacPherson at the Organ.

8.0 London Relay-The News. 8.15 London Relay-War Commentary. 8.25 London Relay - 'Listening Examination of Points in Daily

German Propaganda.

8.30 Programme Summary. 8.32 Old Time Variety. Orchestral—The Gay Nincties— Waltz Medley, Vocal-Billy Merson | -Reuter.

Memories; Vocal and Orchestral-A Variation of Variety: Medley of James Tate's Songs.
8.50 Plano Duets by Rawicz and

9.0 Local Time Signal and Announcements. 9.02 This week's programmes. 9.05 Studio-"Penelle Please."

A Variation of Variety produced by Leonard Starbuck. 9.45-10.0 News in French (on Short Wave only). 9.45 Light Orchestral Selections. 10.0 London Relay-The News and

10.15 Dance Music. 11.0 London-"News From Home by Howard Marshall, 11.15 Close Down.

News Commentary.

#### Distinguished Sailors Retire

WASHINGTON, Aug. 31 (Reuter) -Two distinguished naval careers ended to-day with the retirement of Rear Admiral Joseph Taussig, hero of the Peking Rellef Expedition in 1900, and Rear-Admiral Hayne Ellis, Prominence is given in the Soviet former Commander of the Atlantic press to a report date-lined Geneva Squadron.

The rank of Vice-Admiral is conferred on Admiral Taussig simultaneously with his retirement.

Calcutta Aug. 30. The death of Sir Bijay Chand Mahtab, Maharajadhiraja Bahadur of Burdwan is announced to-day, thus removing the head of the senior Hindu house in Bengal and one of India's most distinguished citizens. The Maharaja travelled widely in Deat, says a Paris message. one of India's delegates to the Im- enclosed in a spot that is not danperial Conference in London in 1926, gerous. Deat it is considered, may

## Budenny Addresses Lnemies

MOSCOW, Aug. 31 (Reuter).published to-day language by Marshal Budenny-who commands the Soviet forces in Southern - Ukraine-addressed to German Rumanian, Hungarian and Slovak troops and officers.

The appeal refers to the first world war in which "millions of your brothers and fathers were sent to death and destruction by German and Austro-Hungarian imperialism" and adds: "Act as you neted in the time of the first war-turn your weapons against those who drive you to death."

Marshal Budenny adds that a lle is being spread that the Red Army kills prisoners of war and promises "We guarantee you your life, good treatment and speedy return to your homeland."

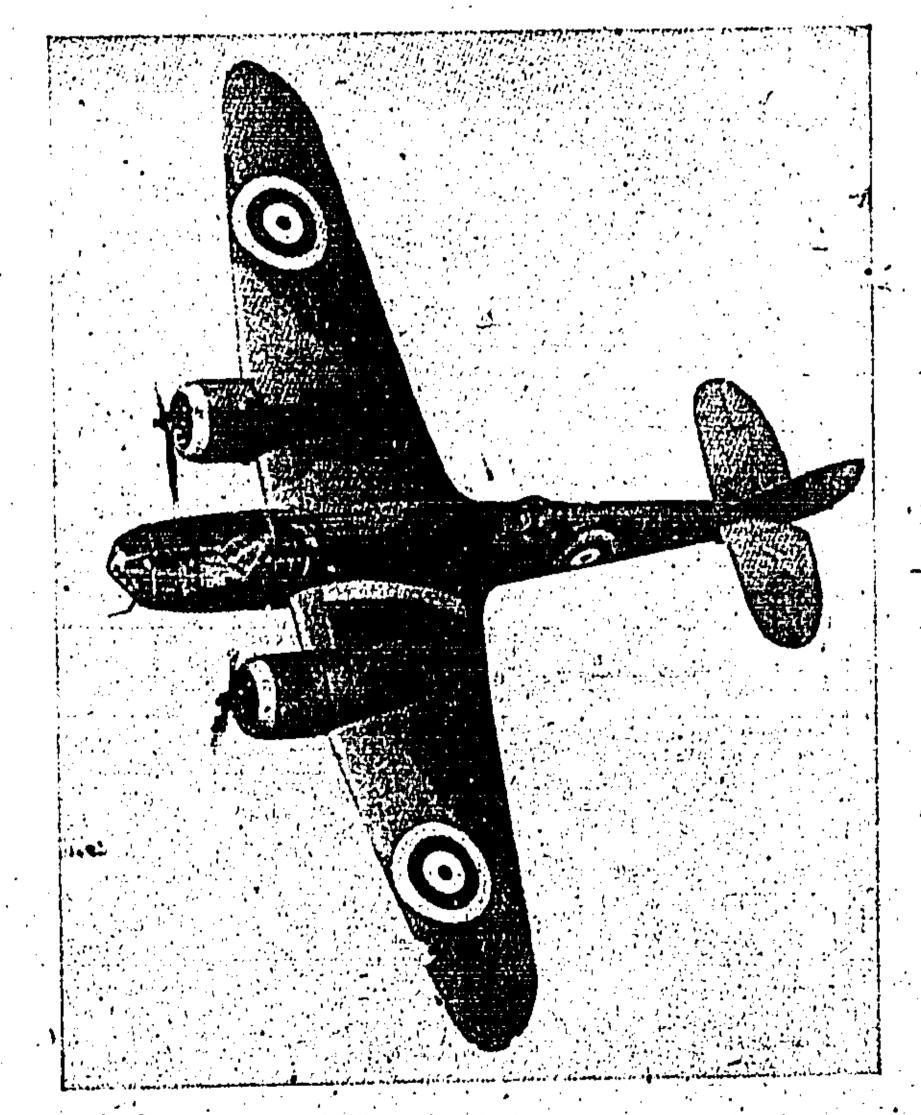
#### Concentrations Of Italian Troops

MOSCOW, Aug. 31 (Reuter) .stating that according to information received there. Italian troops are being concentrated on the Greco-Turkish and Bulgaro-Turkish fron-

#### Laval And Deat improving

LONDON, Aug. 31 (Reuter) .--There is a decided improvement in the condition of Laval and Murcel Europe and had held a number of Laval's temperature is falling and Indian legislative offices, and was the bullet in his body is becoming be out of danger.

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The public are reminded that it is breach of postal regulations to enclose in a postal cover communientions intended for persons other nan the addressee.

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Small Packet Post to all countries is suspended.

INWARD AIR MAILS Air Mail by "Pan American Airways Direct Service"-San Francisco date, 4th September ..... Sept. 11. Air Mail by "Pan American Airways Direct Service"-San Francisco date, 16th September ... Sept. 23.

OUTWARD AIR MAILS Monday, Sept. 1 Air Mail by Air to Rangoon to connect with the British Overseas Airways."

K.P.O. and G.P.O. Reg. . . . . . . . Sept., 1, 4 p.m. Ord. ..... Sept., 1, 4.30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 5 Air Mall by Air to Rangoon to con-

nect with the "British Overseas Airways" K.P.O. and G.P.O. Reg. ..... Sept. 5, 4.00 p.m. Ord. ......Sept. 5, 4.30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 11

Air Mall for Manila, Guam, Honolulu,

U.S.A. and Europe via "Pan-American Airways and Trans-Atlantic Services." K.P.O. Reg. ..... Sept. 11, 5 p.m. .....Sept. 11, 5.30 p.m. G.P.O.

Ord. ..... Sept. 11, 7 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 23 Air Mail for Manila, Guam, Honolulu, U.S.A. and Europe via "Pan-American Airways and Trans-Atlantic Bervices." K.P.O.

Reg. . . . . . Sept. 11, 5 p.m.

Reg. ..... Sept. 23, 5 p.m. Ord. ..... Sept. 23, 5.30 p.m. G.P.O. Reg. ...... Sept. 23, 5 p.m. Ord. ..... Sept. 23, 7 p.m.

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#### August 24

cylinder engines with an R.A.C. rating a pound yesterday. Pork chops are, next month. not troubled by any hill in the Colony, and oranges are cheaper.

With its powerful siren clearing a ones being 84 cents a dozen. one of the machines went from the of August 16 in brackets, were: Central Fire Station to the waterfront near the China Fleet Club, where hones were connected, and the pumping qualities tested.

Scating accommodation is provided for four other persons besides the driver in the cab of the fire engine, while there is standing room for four or more firemen at the tear. For night driving, the siren works automatically with a finshed warning lamp which is mounted on the bonnet.

tion hoses. The swivelled monitor is Fund. detachable and can be operated on a · a 100 gallon tank with emergency hose, dron will bear the name of Hongkong so that the firemen can throw water has stimulated donations for some time immediately on reaching the scene.

supervision of Mr J. C. Fitz Henry, raise the cost of the squadron. Chief Officer of the Fire Brigade, and On August 20, a telegram was dis-

Fire Station, one in Wanchai, and the Squadron. other in Kowloon, .

Caddies on Strike. Caddies at the yesterday: Friday, following the dismissal of two of them for allegedly going out of turn in carrying clubs for members. bers of the Club giving caddles "cum- quire a further £28,100, making the shaw" after rounds-a practice which is strictly against the rules. On Friday, two members, well-known for giving substantial "cumshaw" at the and two of the old enddles went out £151,939-19-6 to the British Governof turn in order to earry for them, ment. The Fund has in hand just over 1040, This was objected to by some of the £4,000 towards the next instalment, newer and younger caddies. The two leaving a balance of approximately culprits were discharged on the spot, £24,000 needed to make up the reand at their agitation the rest of the guired sum. caddles went on strike.

had been settled, the caddles returning is hoped that every section of the to their duties on Saturday.

for the sole purpose of selling fruits, Governor received a telegram from the triangular piece of land in the secretary of State for the Colonies, centro of Bonham Strand, close to the expressing gratification at the generous old Western Market, is now to be the flow of contributions from subscribers site of a two-storey public latrine, of the South China Morning Post Construction work is well under way Construction work is well under way Bomber Fund. His Excellency also reand the whole structure will be com- coived another telegram on the same pleted in approximately three months, day from Lieut, Colonel Moore Inquiries revealed that the majority Brabazon, Minister for Aircraft Pro-of the fruit stall owners have either duction, who also conveyed grateful sought sites elsewhere or have closed thanks, expressing the hope that the down business entirely.

would hardly be inconvenienced by the witness to the generosity, of the outdisappearance of the stalls as there post of the Empire whose name it will were others in the Western Market bear." which is close by. On the other hand, Swimming Championships. \_ The it was pointed out that the demolition European Y.M.C.A. Swimming Chamof the stalls would go some way in pionships began this evening when two relieving the congestion of traffic pro- new records were established and one ceeding to and from the busy centre eight-year-old mark was equalled. of Nam Pak Hong. The fruit "market" E. A. Roberts caused the biggst uphas for many years been something of set of the evening when he bent B. S.

persons have been allowed to quit the sees, to lower Wilson's former time by Hongkong Defence Reserve: August 15; Mr C. R. Wilson, with effect had little practice this season, was from August 15; and Mr F. Ellis, with third, a long way behind.

Barrow, District Officer, North, Hong- was little in the race after the first kong, is appointed Commissioner to administer onths and take declarations, rffirmations and attestations of honour In connection with the succession to property on death within the Northern District of the New Territories so long.

as he shall continue to act as District Officer North. Government House. . The movement under Government House has slowed down very considerably, repairs have been completed and the house is now. entirely habitable. The movement was caused by the construction of air raid. tunnels under the grounds and House.

Regular and frequent inspections are being carried out in case of movements likely to cause further damage. Romber Fund's \$2,500,000. Shortly before noon on Saturday, the Bomber Fund passed the \$2,500,000 mark,

thanks to a number of splendid donations, which amounted to \$7,061.70, received during the short space of twoand-a-half hours. The Fellowship of the Bellows gave the Fund its biggest push by sending

in its eighth donation of \$5,000. Bir Atholl and Lady MacGregor forwarded a third donation of \$1,000, Mr and Mrs Petro a second donation of \$500, while the monthly contribution from the Chinese Staff of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown

Co., Ltd., amounting to \$500, was 're-At noon, the Fund reached the total

# Hongkong News of the Week

HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

A Page For The Evacuees

## Monday

#### August 25

Day of Heavy Rain. With a rainfall of 3.545 inches for the 23 hours ending nt 11 p.m., to-day was the wettest day

Some rain fell shortly after midnight, but there were only intermittent drizzies until shortly before noon when a heavy downpour began and continued until late in the evening.
This month has been rather dry for August, although early in the month there were promises to the contrary, schedules and shortage of accom-On August 3 over two inches of rain modation resulting from the requisifell and more than one and half inches tioning of American ships by the on August 4, but there have been very American Government, has been slightfew heavy downpours since. The rainfall for Sunday was half on inch. The Bomber Fund. The following received from the Secretary of State steamers which were delivered to the for the Colonies by His Excellency the

ngo, it is understood that three of the "Following from Colonel Moore ships are now to remain in the service Brabazon.-Latest £6,000 from South of the American President Lines. for New Fire Engines. Tests of the China Morning Post War Fund grate- the time being on a trip to trip basis, American La France fire engines-the fully acknowledged. Please convey Apart from requisitioning, the demost modern and powerful machines my deep appreciation. Such generous cision of the Japanese shipping com-

up to their reputation for speed and Cost of Living. Only slight changes of a number of people, and inperformance in road and pumping in the prices of foodstuffs took place convenience to others. The four engines, which arrived in at 80 cents a pound, but pork is down much improved now, with an increased the Colony a few days ago, have 12- by five cents, being quoted at 85 cents number of American ships calling here

is very fast and easy to handle. It is show little change in price. Apples Hongkong for the United States. The first is expected to leave about the Top speed is said to be more than 60 Chicken is \$1,80 a catty, which is first week in September, another about Chicken is \$1.80 a carry, which is first week in September, middle ed, was convicted on two counts of Mr R. J. Banks was elected Chair-American President Lines, Limited.

Pork 185 ets a pound; chops \$1.25 a

Beef .80 cts, a pound (.80 cts).

Chieken \$1.30 n ently (\$1.60).

Eggs ,84 ets a dozen (.82 ets). Potatoes 9 cts n pound (.10 cts).

Onlons ,8 cts a pound (.8 cts).

Brinini .15 cts a pound (.10 cts).
Tomatoes .32 cts a pound (.30 cts).
Oranges .17 cts each (.16 cts).
Apples .40 cts red, .25 cts green (.60

More U.S. Ships For Pacific. The

ly alleviated, it was stated in shipping

Of the seven President Lines

pound (.90 cts).

#### August 26

Hongkong Bombers. Hongkong has pace, tired quickly and dropped beonly to subscribe mather \$384,000 and bomber squadron, bearing the Principally these engines are to be Colony's name, will go into operation used to pump salt water from the against the Nazis. This revealed in an Praya up to the higher levels. They official reply from London to inquiries are each provided with six inch suc- made by the sponsors of the Bomber

past and the S. C. M. Post, Ltd, recently received a number of inquiries The tests were carried out under the as to how much money is required to

Mr E. F. Brown, mechanical engineer, patched to the Minister for Aircraft May reached the 200 yard mark in 2 the wardrobe a bag and was about to-day, when it was revealed that add my personal thanks, It is understood that two of the en; cable how much more money is re- sees. ulnes will be stationed at the Central quired to purchase Hongkong's Bomber

Caddles on Strike. Caddles at the "From Ministry of Aircraft Product flavour, but Saunders swam unpaced which was reached by means of a Kowloon Golf Club went on strike on tion. We should like to arrange for to clock 28 secs and so lower his last ladder, medium Bomber Squadron, probably year's boys' record by 2% sees, Blenheims, to be named Hongkong.

#### The Balance Required

Subscriptions to the Fund have en-

In local currency therefore, appro-It was learned to-day that the strike ximately \$384,000 is still required. o their duties on Saturday. Colony will do its utmost to help to-Old Site Transformed. Used for the wards such a worthy goal. last 30 or more years by stallholders On July 16, 1941, His Excellency the

lown business entirely.

It was maintained that old customers squadron will go into service to bear

Wilson in the 100 yards backstroke Defence Reserve. The following championship in the new time of 78% two seconds. Wilson clocked 80% secs, Mr G. F. Gilbert, with effect from last year's time. F. Willis, who has

Mr B. D. Evans and Mr T. L. Bell L. A. Benn and D. Hutchinson in the have been re-asigned from the Com- men's 220 yards free-style championbatant Group to the Key-Posts Group ship which May won in 2 mins 43% in the Hongkong Defence Reserve. sees, equalling the record established District Officer North. Mr John by H. G. (Bert) Lange in 1933. There

100 yards, but at the completion of 150 two bangles, one gold finger ring, one will be announced. yards Hutchinson, who had set the silver expanding necklace; one Members of the Committee present Excollency the Governor of Malta

was beaten by two seconds by May, 114 The Peak. who lowered last year's time (Benn's)

The knowledge that a bomber squa. 50 yards in 30 sees with May at 3216 her bedroom but seeing nothing, she V. D. Gage and Jarvis, with Mr W. V. Government and people of this and Benn at 33. May reduced his ar- went to sleep ugain. lears over the next 50 yards and he and Hutchinson reached the 100 yards mark in 60 with Benn at 69. May forged ahead at the 150 yard mark chinson's 1 mln 48, with Benn at 1.52. Production reading as follows: "Please mins 28 sees and Benn at 2 mins 33 to scream when Defendant seeing the Secretary of State for the It will be recalled that this gift

The absence of R. Larsen and R. the window and escaped. The house Hongkong public. free-style event of its competitive was broken into through a window

Colony's Trade. According to an To enable us to do so we should rechandise as declared during the month property. of July, 1941, totalled \$119.9 millions end of their play, arrived at the Club-abled the S. C. M. Post-Ltd, to remit (£7.3 millions) as compared with

> isible trade of the Colony increased culprit. All the articles stolen from short illness. by 0.8 per cent. in July, 1941 as com- Lady Blackburn were thrown into pared with July, 1940; and decreased the harbour by Defendant since they The late Mr Tsang was the first TO the people of Hongkong Lady by 1.4 per cent, in terms of sterling.





stongwords disgrunded "grasswadowers" held another public meeting tured, semi-manufactured and manon August 28 when the old committee received a vote of non-confidence Metals. Controller, but a without preand a new committee was formed. These pictures taken at the meeting finding to the Canada sublic in the United States.

Canada sublic in the United States.

Canada sublic in the United States. and a new confinited was formed. These pictures taken at the meeting judice to the exercise of his powers by Canada while in the United States. may have been one of the contributed. and a new confinition was formed. These pictures taken at the meeting judice to the exercise of his powers by Canada while in the united states, may have been one of the contributory when the concussion shook the show (top) Mr. C. E. Terry, the cli airman, making his speech, and begins the Director of Supply, as he may Lady Northcole Interviewed. "The causes to the decrease of arrivals from when the concussion shook the low part of the big assembly who heard some outspoken speeches, they were not hurt.

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## Wednesday

#### August 27

Peak Burglaries. A girl was gagged

Yburra, children's nurse, and (b)

official report released for publication Indian watchman at Hill Crest and by the Superintendent of Imports and admitted that the articles found in Exports the combined values of the his pessession were stolen. Miss Colony's imports and exports of mer- Ybarra recognised the articles as her

In terms of local currency the total made Defendant was found to be the Hospital on Friday morning after a I was," she explained, "the blaze of spectacles which were pawned for Tong district.

but on July 19 he was dismissed artist, took place in 1910. Prior to the people.

rently. He was also recommended lend in making their homes in the dis-disregard of air raids by the people of for deportation. for deportation.

nt Repulse Bay on the afternoon of groceries which gradually increased kong took 11 weeks; ten weeks by sea June 12, had a sequel before Mr D, J. Pioneer Family Store, because the Hongkong. N. Anderson at Central Magistracy to- whole family have shares in the shop. day when Ah Hul of 27 Tang Lung whole family have shares in the shop. Street, was summoned for assaulting Li Tong, 44, of 116 Gloucester Road, caus-

presented by Mr C. A. Sutherton Russ.

Complainant, examined by Mr Silva, ager of Dennis and Company. stated that he had been employed by

dant arrived there in a private car, urging its revocation. They were ining that it was his moster's business and allegedly swore at Defendant. Defen- Seeking A Vicar, The following Colony at this time of the year, caused a commotion, and was eventual- Vicar for the Parish: ly stopped by the arrival of Complainant's mistress on the scene.

and that as from Monday, September 1, the licensing of metals will be transferof Trade to that of the Melals Controller, at Holland House, 1st floor.

## Chursday

Husbands' Protest Meeting. Con-pected the Bill will be ready for pre-fronted with a no confidence vote at sentation to the Legislative Council by a new committee.

those allegations, which, in the words special "Savings Week." of the Committee Chairman, Mr C. E. Rame Prizes Unclaimed. At a by the Netherlands community in Individual members.

during the past ten days. Beef remains The situation would appear to be at Central Magistracy to-day, in a but one member of the Committee, items.

information regarding these sallings and stealing from the premises one Taylor as Hon, Secretary. The Comtwo pairs of sunglasses, one silver the Governor to-day describing the resary and one resary, valued at adverse effects of the evacuation Committee in lieu of the prizes the Netherlands, a relationship which \$56.95, the property of Miss G. order and urging its immediate rest donated, and the sum of \$554 received

Another public meeting will be the Bomber Fund.

imitation pearl necklace and one were Mr C. E. Terry (Chairman), are published for general informacarved jade slip, valued at \$104, the Messrs J. Shepherd, S. Simpson, F. F. tion: Taylor (Acting Hon. Secretary).

on August 24 Miss Ybarra was sud- prises Messrs. J. Shepherd, N. Nick- through the Crown Agents for the Hutchinson was first to complete the denly awakened by some noise in son, W. G. McKie, Capt. W. E. Kirby, Colonies, London, as a gift from the Taylor as hon, secretary.

# Legislation is now being drafted to make this effective and it is ex-

a mass meeting of Hongkong's within a few weeks. bachelor-husbands to-day, the Evacuation Representation Committee

The Peninsula Hotel Rose Room was crowded for the meeting, which against the Committee.

Yang Chang-tang, 24, unemploy- was sent through the Governor.

It is presumed that war savings resigned in a body and was replaced certificates will be purchasable from

Post Offices, banks and other authorised centres.

Schools will probably be encourwas the outcome of Mr W. V. Tay- aged to assist the war effort by buyflor's published announcement of his ing these certificates, as they are in decision to resign from the post of England. There a weekly contribu-Acting Honorary Secretary. He an- tion of usually sixpence is made by nounced that decision in a letter to a child and when the required the S. C. M. Post on August 20 in amount has been subscribed, he rewhich he made certain allegations ceives his certificate. These are interest-bearing. Business houses also day, which fell yesterday, of Her organise drives in England for the Majesty Queen Wilhelmina of the At to-day's meeting he amplified sale of certificates, and towns hold a Netherlands, was fervently celebrated

Terry, carried an accusation of "bad meeting of the Hongkong War Effort Hongkong this evening, when a refaith" against the Committee and its Committee held on Wednesday night. a report was received from Messrs ception was held in honour of the Linstead & Davis, supervisors of the Queen's birthday at the residence of American La France fire engines—the fully acknowledged. Please solved and powerful machines my deep appreciation. Such generous cision of the Japanese shipping commost modern and powerful machines my deep appreciation. Such generous cision of the Japanese shipping commost modern and powerful machines my deep appreciation. Such generous cision of the Japanese shipping commost modern and powerful machines my deep appreciation. Such generous cision of the Japanese shipping commost modern and powerful machines my deep appreciation. Such generous cision of the Japanese shipping commost modern and powerful machines my deep appreciation. Such generous cision of the Japanese shipping commost modern and powerful machines my deep appreciation. Such generous cision of the Japanese shipping commost modern and powerful machines my deep appreciation. Such generous cision of the Japanese shipping commost modern and powerful machines my deep appreciation. Such generous cision of the Japanese shipping commost modern and powerful machines my deep appreciation. Such generous cision of the Japanese shipping commost modern and powerful machines my deep appreciation. Such generous cision of the Japanese shipping commost modern and powerful machines my deep appreciation. Such generous cision of the Japanese shipping commost modern and powerful machines my deep appreciation. Such generous cision of the Japanese shipping commost modern and powerful machines my deep appreciation. Such generous cision of the Japanese shipping commost modern and powerful machines my deep appreciation. Such generous cision of the Japanese shipping commost modern and powerful machines my deep appreciation. Such generous cision of the Japanese shipping commost modern and powerful machines my deep appreciation. Such generous cision of the Japanese shipping commost modern and powerful machines my deep appreciation. Such generous cision of the Japanese shipping commost modern and powerful machines my deep appreciation of the Japanese shipping commost machines m story told to Mr D. J. N. Anderson Mr J. F. MacGregor, Vice-Chairman, mately \$6,000 in value, covering 50 Netherlands, at No. 532 The Peak.

case which also concerned the theft Mr J. Shepherd, supported Mr The majority of the prizes, which No official reception was given by of several articles belonging to Lady Taylor's complaint in respect to a include silverware, wines and spirits, in Consul-General during the day, Three ships of the American Pre- Blackburn, wife of the Counsellor to letter to the Colonial Secretary, open orders, on docal firms to the the Consul-General during the day, of 76.8 h.p., developing 240 brake h.p. nowever, \$1.20 a point of \$100 cach, watches, lewel- as customary in peace time, but Despite considerable size, the machine Vegetables, though not plentiful sident Lines are expected to lines before it lines are form to all the members before it shown to all the members before it lery etc., are now in the possession Netherlanders attending the reception of the Committee, and it was decided at the meeting that as sultable op- on Saturday evening took the opor very expensive, ordinary cooking towards the end of the month. Further (a) breaking into No. 115 The Peak man of the new Committee, with Mr offered for enter the portunity to restiling these sallings and relative for the peak man of the new Committee, with Mr offered for enter the portunity to restiling these sallings and relative for the peak man of the new Committee, with Mr offered for enter the portunity to restiling these sallings and relative for the peak man of the new Committee, with Mr offered for enter the portunity to restiling the portunity to restill the portunity to restilli offered for sale by nuction at various their Queen, and to confirm again the With its powerful siren clearing a ones being 84 cents a dozen.

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Wherean President Lines Limited.

Way through the traffic on Saturday, Prices ruling yesterday, with those may be had on application to the handbag containing \$11.05, one purse, mittee decided to present a letter to to the Bomber Fund.

American President Lines Limited. to the Bomber Fund.

> from these sources is being paid to stealing two pairs of spectacles, one held next Tuesday when the result Gift to Malta. The following copies rosary bead bracelet, one gold cross, of the interview with the Governor of telegrams between His Excellency the Governor of Hongkong and His

The last 20 yards provided a thrifling finishing burst by Benn, but he property of Lady Blackburn, at No. Jeffreys, J. F. MacGregor and W. V. Governor, Malta, date August 25.— A contribution of £1,000 is being It was stated that about 4.20 a.m. The new committee elected com- made to the Malta Relief Fund

War Savings Certificates. It is From Governor, Malta, to Gover-Sometime later she was again expected that shortly Hongkong nor, Hongkong, date August 26 .- The awakened by the sound of the door residents will be able to purchase people of Malta warmly appreciate when he clocked I min 45 sees to Hut- of a wardrobe opening. She had a war savings certificates in the the gift of £1,000 from the Governglimpse of Defendant taking out of Colony. This was indicated officially ment and people of Hongkong.

that she was awake, gagged her with Colonies had approved of the idea was approved by the Legislative The absence of R. Larsen and N a piece of cloth. Defendant ran to of making them available to the Council as a token of appreciation for a sister Colony.

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#### August 29

when he was convicted on a charge of opening of the Pioneer Family Store, of cinema films in Canton.

trict. For the convenience of their Britain. Brawl At Repulse Bay. An alleged neighbours, their residence was partly in size and finally emerged as the to Penang, and another week by air to

Mr Tsang was a member of the Kow- were doing a great deal of war work. Scattone at the 12-line post, Caste loon Tong Garden City Club and had a lot of supplies to Britain, and, in and water about 12.30 p.m. On many friends in the district. He leaves particular, to the evacuees from homb. many triengs in the district. He leaves particular, to the evacuees from bomb- and water about 12.30 p.m. on Mr M. A. da Silva appeared for De- a widow, three daughters, Rosaline, ed areas. They did, however, less Friday, when a mine which had fendant, while Complainant was re- Angeline and Pauline and a son, Peter, ed areas. They did, however, less Friday, when a mine which had presented by 15.00 p.m. The relations in Hongkong include his hospital work, than we do here. His relations in Hongkong include his hospital work than we do here. brother-in-law, Mr S. K. Chung, Man-

dant walked away in an angry mood have been constituted a Board of

consent of the Governor, has delegated and to Bishop Donald Baker, Principal 1,000, 1,500). all his powers relating to unmanufact of Ridley College, Melbourne, asking It will be remembered that about a tured, somi-manufactured, and man, their unistance in finding a Vicar from It will be remembered that about a tured, somi-manufactured, and man.

Hongkong on my return was the lights." said Lady Northcote to-day in the First Resident of Kowloon Tong course of an interview which she of July, 1941, totalled \$119.9 millions

(£7.3 millions) as compared with Lady Blackburn discovered the District Dies. The death of Mr granted to a reporter, "When you \$119.0 millions (£7.4 millions) in July, theft of her property the following Pioneer Store, No. 7 Stafford Road, continuous, and complete, black-outs, as 1940.

morning. As a result of inquiries Kowloon Tong, occurred at St Teresa's continuous, and complete, black-outs, as lights here is simply unbelievable."

> could not be disposed of except the resident to settle down in Kowloon Northcote sends a personal message. She has enjoyed her stay here and is Born in Kwangtung province 57 years her; she regrets her imminent dreparngo, Mr Tsang had been to the United her; she regrets her imminent dreparhouse coolie at No. 114 The Penk title manufacture and is grateful for the many kindnesses shown her; she regrets her imminent dreparture from the Colony, but offers her a house coolie at No. 114 The Peak His marriage to Miss Ma King-sinn, an good wishes for the future of its

larceny of clothing from his em- he was a broker dealing with the sale. Discussing the morale of the people Defendant was sentenced to four About 16 years ago Mr Tsang seitled they all had their jobs to do, and did them, carrying on and making the best has already been in existence for count and three months on the before it became a residential district, of things. It was difficult, she said, to more than found the record the count and the c at Home, Lady Northcote said that second, the sentences to run concur- They found the place very agreeable explain to anyone in a place that had more than four centuries."

The journey from Britain to Hong- National Anthem.

were doing a great deal of war work.

Colony since April have shown a fairly terrific concussion. considerable decrease, according to Mr Banerjee for three years. On the Vain Evacuation Move. As Instruct-figures obtained from Mr J. H. B. Lee, day in question he obtained leave from cd at Thursday's general meeting, the immigration Officer, yesterday, but distance above sea level, was struck any in question he obtained leave from ed at Allarson, and Evacuation Resultation Unicer, yesternly, but distance above sea level, was struck his employer and spent it with a picnic members of the new Evacuation Resultation is the effect of the imhis employer and spent it with a picnic members of the new Evacuation Resultation is the effect of the imhis employer and spent it with a picnic members of the new Evacuation whether this is the effect of the imhis master was presentation. Committee presented migration restrictions or due to sea- by a spout of water about 300 feet
his employer and spent it with a picnic members of the new Evacuation Resultation is the effect of the imhis employer and spent it with a picnic members of the new Evacuation Resultation is the effect of the imhis employer and spent it with a picnic members of the new Evacuation Resultation is the effect of the imhis employer and spent it with a picnic members of the new Evacuation Resultation is the effect of the imhis employer and spent it with a picnic members of the new Evacuation Resultation is the effect of the imhis employer and spent it with a picnic members of the new Evacuation Resultation is the effect of the imhis employer and spent it with a picnic members of the new Evacuation Resultation is the effect of the imhis employer and spent it with a picnic members of the new Evacuation Resultation is the effect of the imhis employer and spent it with a picnic members of the new Evacuation Resultation is the effect of the imhis employer and spent it with a picnic members of the new Evacuation Resultation is the effect of the imhis employer and spent it with a picnic members of the new Evacuation Resultation Resultat

noticed Mr Banerice's car, and naked formed by an omeint that the start of the European war, there there were no casualties.

Complainant to let him have a trial at convenient for His Excellency to re- the start of the European war, there there were no casualties. to come in and more to go out of the ...

14,700 (Macao, 11,300, Canton and windows were blown in by the force Kwongchowan 1,100, other ports of the explosion, while the furniture H.E. the Governor has appointed Mr E.W. Sharp, Mr R. Dormer, Mr T. 2,200); June 16-22, 13,700 (10,200, 1,300, the house and grounds, causing con-B. J. Lacon, M.I.MECHE, to be Metals J. Gould, representing the Church 2,200); June 23-29, 13,300 (10,500, 900 siderable damage to the garden and Controller, with effect from August 20, Council. 2,200); July 7-13, 11,700 (8,400, 1,000, A meeting was held on August 10 2,300); July 14-20, 12,300 (0,200, 600, A curious thing was that all the red from the office of the Controller at which, states the Andrian, it was 2,500); July 21-27, 12,400 (8,600, 1,000, plaster outside the house, and some reported that Mr Wittenbach had, with 2,800); July 27-Aug. 3, 12,700 (9,500,



#### August 30

Hollanders Celebrate. The birth-

Six firms have sent cheques to the between the House of Orango and

# With Acknowledgments

While the cost of living is down n bit, the cost of leaving is suffering from inflation spiral,

And of course the Government can always tell the husbands, "You should have thought of all this before you proposed to her."

And, when they're at, it, why not linve a bar sinister across the proposed husbands' badge? I note from a heading that a allimbling party has been surprised

at Yaumati. Don't they everest?

Then there's the lady who looks like she was poured into her dress and forgot to say when, The Health expert enlarges again on the blessings of ventilation.

Perhaps for the average Hongkong

flat he could invent a porous water-

proof window pane. Because of the freezing, it is reported that there are 0,000,000 idle dollars in Shanghal. that in real money must be at least three and fourpencet

Many wild animals charge with their eyes closed. I know a few compradores who do the same. The many impending divorces in this town are causing the lawyers

to go round with dark triangles

under their eyes. "We had a hard road to hoe." said the husbands' chairman, as reported. Better stick to paddling your 'own kazoo.

While the husbands were meeting, so was the Y's Men's Club. But then the sadder and the wiser are not always the same people.

We need another \$384,000 so that "Hongkong" bombing unit can be

formed. Well, maybe a bargain

could be struck with the food

hawkers or the Vegetable Guild.

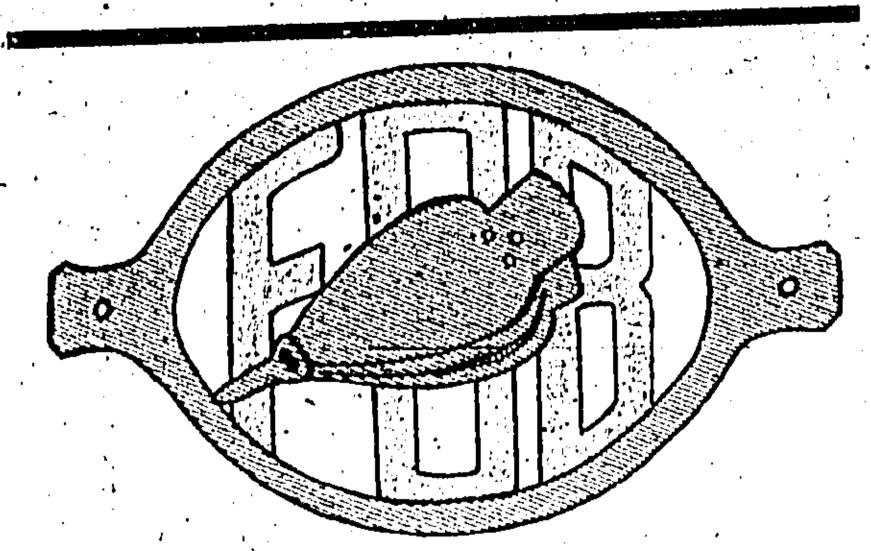
The toast to the Queen was followed by the singing of the Netherlands

Castle Peak Rd. Explosion. Mr J. H. Ruttonjee's bungalow near the The women of Penang, she said, scafront at the 12-mile post, Castle Fewer Immigrants. Arrivals in the on the rocks and exploded with

The bungalow, which is some party at Repulse Bay. His master was presentation Committee process of migration restrictions or due to sea- by a spout of water about 300 leet also at Repulse Bay, having driven his themselves at Government. House to-sonal changes could not be ascertained high, created by the explosion. Mine day at 8 p.m., intending to present to as the number of arrivals before the the Governor a letter outlining their introduction of the Immigration. Or the Complainant said that later Defense as a against the evacuation edict and dinance was not available. and bushes in the vicinity were noticed Mr Banerjee's car, and naked formed by an official that it was not However, it was learned that since singed and uprooted, but fortunately

standing, its foundations are believed but returned later, and assaulted Com- Patronage for St Andrew's Church, Following are the weekly figures of to have been affected. Doors and plainant. The fight that followed Kowloon, to take steps to find a new arrivals since April: April 22-28, mindows were blown in the force The case was adjourned to Sep-Wittenbach (representing the Archded 1,000, 2,200); May 0-12, 14,800 (11,600, of metal about three inches in comber 1. Penfold (representing the Church, of 100, 1,600); June 2-8, 11,700 (8,800, 600, stones, and debris, were strewn over Metals Controller. It is learned that England Trustees); Miss W. Robinson, 2,300); June 0-15, 13,300 (10,000 500, the house and grounds, causing con-

the approval of the Church Council, 1,300, 1,000); Aug. 4-10, 10,100 (8,200, inside, became black, due possibly to The Director of Supply, with the written to the Archbishop of Melbourne 300, 1,600); Aug. 11-17, 10,300 (7,800, the chemicals and acid from the



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#### Fight Will Thais Defend Their Soil

"The story of Thailand to-day is the story of a nation waiting to be invaded," declared Mr Frank Gervasi, associate editor of the American magazine "Collier's," when he arrived in Singapore after spending ten days in Bangkok.

"I am personally convinced; that the Thai are going to fight," he said. "They have the bantheir eyes open for what is hap-

"They believe that if they fight they will be raving face, honour and dignity as men who are confident that the Axis is going to lose and that they will get a decent break

"The That will tell you," he con-

Pro-British were making very serious preparations to prepare themselves. "They

are preponderantly pro-British," he added. "Japan would be in for a bad time Pictures,: Ltd., will buy the £4,500,If she involved herself in a conflict 000 held in shares by the widow of with Britain and the U.S.A."

slon, Mr Gervasi said, "I think you ing film magnate. can certainly expect an attack on If this deal comes off it will be Russin by Japan if the Germans con- big step towards American control tinuo mirrossfully against the Soviet." of British halls—a state of things Accredited correspondent to the which the Government has in the and Hongkong supports that warning.

British Forces in the Middle East for past been anxious to avoid.

The Warner company which is bone of all same people throughout and July-Mr Gervasi spoke highly bidding is a British one, but repre- hope of all same people throughout of the British soldier.

Briton Best Soldier soldler in the world to-day," he firms it has large "frozen assets" in said. "I have seen him fight. He Britain-because of Treasury limitais fearless and even under long tion of export revenue. suffering never complains. He is

tenly a 'groot gry.'" The danger in the Middle East, he Middle East "very soon." went on, had now passed. There ."I think that Britain, aided by tractions and the sacrifices must was plenty of American material and America, has gone over from the de- come from Japan, and if these are ammunition there to augment British fensive to the offensive mentality: I not forthcoming, then Japan must

500 British Cinemas

Britain's largest combine of on their feet than live on their cinemas, Associated British Picture Corporation (the familiar A.B.C. halls which number over The people in Thailand, he said, 500), may come under United States control soon.

According to the "Kinematograph Weekly," negotiations are nearly completed whereby Warner Brothers Mr John Maxwell, the Glasgow Spenking of Russo-Japanese ten- solleiter who became Britain's lend-

sents the United States parent com- the Orient that the latest efforts to terho British Temmy in the best Like all other American film

supplies.

He was of the opinion that Britain he said.

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## SOLUTION LIES WITH

**JAPAN** 

crisis is understandable and sensible. Much depends on how much new ground Tokyo is prepared to break; if Prince Konoye's message to President Roosevelt goes no further than States permit Japan to go ahead with and freedom. her programme of aggression and expansion without let or hindrance, then little, if anything, can be expected from the latest negotiations. clearly explained to Japan that the chine. largely in her hands; its essential prerequisite is a willingness on the

It has been emphatically and solution to the Pacific crisis lies very part of the Japanese Government to make concessions, the principal one of which is the renunciation of her is doubtful, however, whether this in | spirit. tself would be regarded by the democracies as sufficient. The political situation in the Far East created by Japan is so obnoxious to America and Britain that it cannot be indefinitely tolerated. That is, perhaps, a point of view which Japan has not sufficiently taken into account.

Considerable emphasis has been placed on the concern which Britain and America feels regarding threats to Malnya, the N.E.I., and the Philippines, but just as much concern is felt about the position of China as it is to-day, and manifestly, and rightly, aid from those two nations to China is going to be consistently increased. Japanèse politicians who have always insisted upon the need for "realism" should take a leaf out of their own book in this respect. The situation is ncute because it is obvious that if there is to be any improvement, Japan has got to modify her policy very considerably. Britain and the United States through Mr Churchill and President Roosevelt have calegorically declared that they intend to stand for no further nonsense on the part of Tokyo. Britain's military preparedness both in Malaya

evert the explosion so gravely threatening will meet with success; but Japan must not expect this to be accomplished at the expense of China; there is going to be no selling would be starting an offensive in the out of Chungking by either America or Britain. From now on the ro-

> accept the consequences, serious as they will be to all involved,



#### FROC POLAND'S CHOICE struggle.

## By Jan Bolinski-Jundzill

Deputy-Director of the Polish Research Centre

when she accepted and fully realised that every day Germans, in consequence of reciprocated the British enemy heavy losses. guarantee of April 6, 1939. It is not sufficiently realised in many countries that Poland had that choice in the Spring before the War.

Two paths lay before her. relevant to the existing Pacific Poland, as a vassal state of taken part in a German month. She would have held tion. But always, all the days, campaign against Russia. out longer had it not been for there are the Poles." The other alternative was the Russian attitude. The Gerto resist the German de-man losses were very heavy and the time-honoured Japanese plea for mands and espouse the ties that the Nazis paid for their better understanding", which means nothing more than that the United cause of international order Polish victory with 150,000

> She chose the path of honour and was actually the first country to resist the | mighty -- German -- war -- ma-

#### Hopeless Odds

The military campaign of courage by the entire Polish people. The siege of Warsaw policy of self-aggrandisement and will for all time serve as an acquisition of territory by force. It example of their indomitable them the opportunity of affect-

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"-so it's settled, that at the approach of enemy sircraft,

wo all meet here for lunch!"

HOME

they fought on was causing the their failure to find "quislings"

They preferred to sacrifice the Gestapo. their material possessions their city, their homes, their lives—in order to continue resistance as long as humanly possible.

dead, 200,000 wounded, about 700 tanks and 500 aeroplanes.

#### Vital Contribution

During the last war, when the German onslaught on Paris endangered the situation in the West, the armies of the Tsar helped by attacking West Prussin and thus contributed indirectly to the victory of the 1939 was fought with desperate Marne. So in 1939, a short but bloody campaign in Poland secured to the Western Powers a period of respite and gave ing mobilisation and making In the second week of the further preparation for war. siege it was entirely clear that To-day, with the vivid illus-

the situation was hopeless and trations of German tactics in there was no possibility of re- the battles of France and pelling the invader. Neverthe- Greece before us, Poles are in-

By Lichty

first act of this tremendous formed.

now? The policy of the oc- the Baltic and reached British cupying Power is brutal and ports to co-operate with the the destruction of the vital exploits, particularly those of forces of the Polish nation. Methods hitherto unexampled well known.

in the history of the civilised Poland made her choice less the defenders of Warsaw world are being used. The inspired by the same spirit of in Poland, have relied mainly on Army arrived in Britain. Since

German barbarity was stressed by the British Prime Minister in his broadcast to the Polish nation on May 3 when he said:

"Every week his (Hitler's) The Germans had 75 divisions firing parties are busy in THE cautious tone adopted officially The first was to yield to of infantry, 15 mechanised divi- dozen lands. Monday he shoots both in Washington and Tokyo re- German persuasion, make sions and 5,000 aeroplanes in Dutchmen, Tuesday Norwegigarding the possible outcome of the concessions with regard to exchange of notes between Prince | Concessions with regard to exchange of notes between Prince | Danzig and the Polish Cor. | The Poles opposed this ans, Wednesday French or Bel-might with 25 divisions, one gians stand against the wall; mechanised division and about while Thursday it is the Czechs\_trelevant to the existing Pacific | Poland as a vaccal etate of poland. This was the unequal struggle are the Serbs and the Greeks to Germany would then have Poland fought for a whole fill his repulsive bill of execu-

#### Poland Fights On

From the secret press appear- it. ing in Poland and from reports emanating from other sources, to-day can be summed up in a it is clear that the Polish spirit few words. In Poland, stubof resistance remains unim-born resistance to German oppaired by this ruthless oppres- pression. Elsewhere, an equally sion. Polish faith in a final vic- stubborn fight by the side of tory is unshaken.

Acting less than four hours after he issued his Proclamation to the German Army, Herr Hitler this morning ordered General Goering, Chief of the German Air Force, to send the Reich warplanes over the Polish capital. An urgent "United Press" message, despatched from Warsaw at 9 o'clock this morning (4 o'clock this afternoon, Hongkong Time) stated that German planes had

bombed the capital. No further details are to hand. It is not known how many planes appeared over War-

Hitler embarked on his mad-

march on September 1, 1939.

A special edition issued by

the "Telegraph" late that

evening told Hongkong the

news. This is the message

that heralded the start of

war:

saw, or what was the extent of the damage. The incident, however, appears to confirm the contention that Hitler's Proclamation to the German Army was, in fact, a Declaration of War on Poland.

> While this is going on in Poland thousands of Poles are now in Britain under the leadership of the Polish Prime Minister and Commander-in-Chief, General Sikorski.

Burning to avenge their country, keen to serve in the Allied cause, they braved great dangers, crossing frontiers and mountain ranges, passing through many countries till they spired by the thought of the part reached France, where a new played by their country in the Polish army and air force were

Destroyers and submarines of What is going on in Poland the Polish Navy escaped from ruthless. Their policy aims at British Navy. Many of their the Polish submarine Orzel, are

After the French collapse, determination, the Government and the Polish then they have continued to play their part in the war. need not stress the part played by the Polish airmen in the battle of Britain when about 10 percent. of the planes brought down in the autumn were the victims of Polish fighters.

Polish forces also played their part at Narvik in May and June 1940 and are now fighting in the Middle East which they reached through Syria and

The century-old Polish National Anthem begins with the words: "Poland's soul is not departed while we live to own her." Poland's soul lives on and no persecution can destroy

Poland's part in the struggle brave Allies.

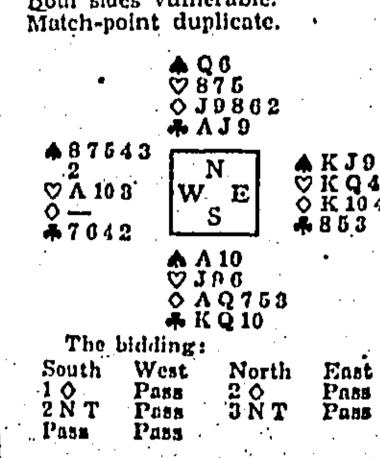


Nothing to Lose, Everything to Gain

LEVHE "percentage" favouring one-diamond and finesse to the queen, L play over another may be in--or lead the jack and, if it is not finitesimal, yet it is just such choices covered, let it ride? as this that mark the expert. Note The answer to this is simple when

South dealer. Both sides vulnerable.

to-day's deal.



gamy and in every case West ing the jack, and something to gain opened the fourth best spade. Some in one case, this selection becomes declarers went up with dummy's the "percentage" play. queen, others let the lead ride to I regret to report that, of thestopper immediately. . With the fulfilled their contracts. heart suit wide open it was apparent that the only hone of fulfilling the contract depended on running the diamond suit without losing the lead. No other consideration was Involved.

The K-10-4 of diamonds were outstanding. As we know, with only ten of a sult, missing the king, he preper play is to finesse, not to play for a drop. Hence, if the diamond king is in West's hand, whether guarded or unguarded, it will make, since there is no reason. to violate this rule of play. Thus, we must finesse, but a in precisely what manner? Entering dummy 

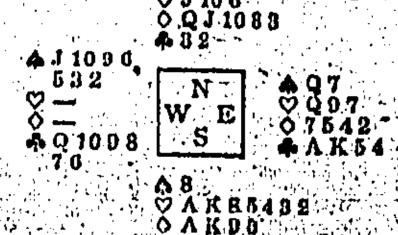
-we consider the possible distributions of the missing diamonds. If East has the king blank, the K-10 or the K-4, it does not matter what diamond we lead from dummy; we are safe in all cases. There is a possibility, however, that East holds all three of the missing diamonds, and in that case it will be fatal to lead low to the queen. East, of course, will not split his honours; he will put the four on the deuce. The queen holds but, when West fails to follow, our doom becomes plain. East still has the K-10 and no manner of play can shut out his It we play properly, however, and

is doomed. If he covers, our acc wins and, since West shows out, finesse is established against the ten-spot. If East ducks, The bldding was identical at the jack holds. Thus, since there is seven tubles in a recent duplicate nothing to lose in any case by lead-

lead dummy's jack, it is East who

the A-10. But, since East had both seven declarers, only two led the the king and jack, this was imma- jack instead of a low diamond terial-South lost his only spade through East and, hence, only two To-morrow's Hand

> South dealer. Both sides vulnerable.



with a club, should we lead a low How should this hand be bid?

# Britain's Power After Two Years Of Bitter Struggle

LONDON, Aug. 31 (Reuter).—In the following article specially written on the second anniversary of the war, "Reuter's" Military Commentator reviews the development of Britain's military strength during the past two years:

When Hitler started the war by his unprovoked invasion of high standard of motorisation all Poland, the British Army was weak in numbers and equally deficient in the equipment necessary for war. All the territorial units lacked training.

tions all over the world equally were ed with, in case of any attempt at Netherlands. on an insufficient scale. We had invasion. some difficulty in equipping even token force to go to France and this was submerged by the flood which temporarily destroyed France in May OPPC

Owing to the heroic efforts of our Navy and Air Force, we rescued most of our men but lost the whole of their equipment. Norway and Greece further depleted our resources.

We extricated ourselves from this extremely critical situation, however, by the splendld fighting of our Air Force and the bold and resolute ·face with which the people of Britain face with which the people of Britain creased was stressed by M. Lozovsky, to turn. On this day, our thoughts have to withdraw from certain areas mander. "Our troops have already leadership of Mr Winston Churchill to foreign correspondents to-day." ner in which the people responded to

#### Different Picture

commanded from generals to cor- junction of Rzhnov and a serious of Freedom in Hongkong addressed porals. Our losses have been made railway accident at Krupkov. good, we are powerfully armed with anti-aircraft guns, anti-tank weapons the Red Army against nine-tenths brations in England. and field artillery which protect our of the entire German armed forces towns, factories and our many wide- and the enormous losses inflicted on ly-flung naval and air bases, stretch- Germany had raised the spirits of the ing, as they do, from Iceland down down-trodden occupied countries. along the southern shores of Asia as for as Singapore and Hongkong into the Pacific Ocean.

Though the Army as a whole has not yet stepped on the stage to play a great decisive part in the offensive strokes which it will have to do tocomplete our victory, it is collecting and massing in two directions which

Far East Reserves The necessity of stopping Japanese aggression is causing us to collect a third reserve in the Pacific. The Amy is getting ready to strike anywhere when the moment arrives.

When Britain took up the But though our military forces challenge of the Nazis, who set have so far only been employed in forth on the march to dominate small bodies, they have gained some glorious victories and have won successes which cannot be surpassed by weak. Her strength has in Libya, the Abyssinian campaign enormously increased since then and the conquest of Syria were all though it has still some way to though it has still some way to army numerically far superior and

equally well, if not better, equipped. To-day our forces are reaching a over the world and tanks are arriving in good and increasing numbers,

In Britain itself, the Home Guard, composed of civilians, are engaged in every kind of work and have reached No. 532 The Peak, in honour of the a stage in training and equipment at 61st birthday yesterday, of Her Vital garrisons on our communica- which they must be seriously reckon- Majesty, Queen Wilhelmina of the

# NAZIS GROWS

MOSCOW, Aug. 31 (Reuter) .-

the call to arms by creating the sion in parlisan warfare, acts of the Realm in Europe ... We wish her tively. sabotage and attacks on German good health and longevity. May she agents, German officers and soldiers. soon return to her country, liberated possible exception of bona fide the British Commander with this How very different is the picture M. Lozovsky declared that ten from foreign oppression." to-day of Britain's growing military weeks ago, the shots fired at Laval A toast to Her Majesty was drunk have to leave Iran, probably within salute of rolling drums and a Guard might! The Army itself has been have been impossible. Similarly to the strains of the Netherlands one week. Thereafter, no Germans of Honour, expanded till we have at least three strikes in Poland had previously been National Anthem, after which Mr. J. will be admitted into the country. million men under arms and these impossible, but now there had been H. van. der. Laan, President of the men are now well-organised and one at the important Polish railway Committee of the Netherlands Day

Ten weeks of heroic resistance by in to the London relay of the cele-

#### Bowden Transferred To Singapore

SYDNEY, Aug. 31 (Reuter),-The Australian Trade Commissioner to are dictated by sound strategy for China, Mr V. G. Bowden, has been the location of our reserves, namely appointed official Australian reprethese islands and the Middle East. sentative in Singapore with authority in political, commercial and administrative matters.

He will be assisted by a commercial this caused no damage. secretary and a political officer. The United Kingdom Government have welcomed the move.

### Hollanders Celebrate Birthday Of Queen Wilhelmina

on Saturday night at the residence of the Acting Consul-General for the

There were about 70 persons present, mostly members, of the local Dutch community, and some Chinese. Welcoming the guests, Mr Middelburg said that when they looked back on the last birthday of Her Majesty, which was celebrated in the same room, they could say without being over-optimistic that the future for Partisan Warfare their country looked better than ever,

rule in occupied countries has in- is growing, he and a countries has in- the chances of war are already about is growing," he said. "It seems that continue. This opposition is finding expres- England, works at the liberation of by Soviet and British forces respec-

the gathering, which later listened

Yesterday Mr Middelburg gave a short talk over ZBW to mark the

#### Tobruk Defenders' Bayonet Charge

CAIRO, Aug. 31 (Reuter).-In the Tobruk area one of our patrols ottacked an enemy post with bayonet infileling casualties. During the day there was a fair amount of enemy

There was one enemy air raid but

In the frontier area there was some exchange of artillery fire.

# PROBABLE PEACE TERMS FOR IRAN

Transit Facilities Sought

SIMLA, Aug. 31 (Reuter) .- Provision that the Iranian Government should facilitate the transit of supplies and war material through Iran to Russia will, according to well-informed circles here, form part of the basis of the terms which will probably be offered to the Iranian Government shortly.

In return, it is probable that; the 'Allied Governments will undertake to continue payments of all oil royalties, facilitate the supply of economic necessities such as food and piece-goods to Iran and, as soon as the military situation permits, will withdraw

and there will also be re-affirmation cheering. that the measures to be taken are When Iranian resistance ceased, the not directed against Iran herself but Indians were eight miles from the out the country.

German Community It will probably be pointed out that in full war-kit. if the Iranian Government are now

#### Premier's Statement

to the Teheran Radio.

and actions have reached a clearer prisoners should be returned. stage" and would soon reach a satis- Shortly after noon, the Indian factory conclusion, Mr Furughi added forces entered the town. Line upon that "many untrue and forged pieces line of armoured fighting vehicles, of news are current and it is even lorries, and trucks packed with said that groups of peoples are leav- infantry and motor cyclists crossed ing the capital. I want to assure the bridge over Karun into the town. Parliament that there is no danger to Teherun or the Government and all these rumours are unfounded."

supply of bread and meat "though of Iran on the main road to Teheran course if each person buys ten pounds 'about half-way between Tabziz and of bread instead of one, the Government will be faced with some difficul-

#### KONOYE'S MESSAGE

# Adjustment Wanted

TOKYO, Aug. 31 (Reuter).... Prince Konove's message to President Roosevelt is given prominence in the Japanese Iran, revealed that German agents press as the opening of diplomatic negotiations for settling the regions, especially since the outbreak atctanding questions between 'apan and the United States.

The "Chugai Shogo" declares and also did everything possible to work up feeling against the Soviet Blates does not want a war in Union. he Pacific as already emphasised by various American leaders. The newspaper expresses the belief hat as Prince Konoye's message was personally addressed to President Roosevelt, Japanese and American relations are being thoroughly restudied and the United States Govrament are giving careful study to he view that the present tendency of the European war is becoming the Soviet Caspian fleet. copidly a world war.

#### Continuity

The "Yomluru Shimbun" declares 'hat Japan's policy in the Pacific is based on the principle that Japan and the United States "should not come to blows. Prince Konoye's activity is passed." message was intended to remove misunderstanding between Japan and the United States. Emphasis, however, is laid on the continuity of the Japanese policy.

The "Hochi Shimbun" declares that this policy remains "immutable" while the "Chugal Shogo" asserts that adjustment of outstanding questions between the two countries is "only possible when the establishment of greater East Asian prosperity is recognised."

#### Troop Train In Anhwei Wrecked

LIHUANG, Aug. 81 (Central News). — Over 200 Japanese troops were killed and woundedas the result of a train accident on the Hwai-Nan Railway ir northern Anhwei last week when a Japanese troop train was dynamited near the Shuantungchih Station after striking Chinese land mines.

The locomotive was overturned Land completely wrecked, while four coaches were thrown off the tracks and badly damaged. Material losses sustained by, the Japanese were estimated to total over \$500,000. Trame on the Railway was inter-

rupled for three days as a result of

#### Indian Troops Enter Ahwaz

Armistice In Time (DY "REUTER'S" SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT)

Aug. 31.-When Indian troops marched into southern Iranian town Other terms are likely to be that of Ahwaz immediately following the policy of Britain and Russia is Iran's decision to cease fire, Iranian that they have no designs against soldiers stood stiffy at the salute the independence of Iran; her terri- while the population ran alongside torial integrity will be re-affirmed the Indian troops chapping and

only against the menace arising from town. R.A.F. planes droned conthe political activities of Germans stantly overhead supporting their established in key positions through- advance. Suddenly a high-powered car bearing a white flag drove swiftly up from the direction of Ahwaz and from it stepped a high Iranian officer

After soluting, he asked in perfect "Our allies are undefeated and the prepared to co-operate there is no English to see the British Commandlow greatly the opposition to Nazi spirit of resistence in the Netherlands reason why, any hostilities should ing Officer. "I have orders direct from the Shah to ask for an

#### Military Salutes

While the Indian troops remained members of their Legation and a Chiefs of Staff drove into Ahwaz,

> The Iranian General Mohamed Shahbakhti, then formally surrendered his forces.

LONDON, Aug. 31 (Reuter).-A Pending a settlement of the statement that "by to-morrow the Armistice terms, it was decided on the situation will be satisfactorily cleared spot that (1) the Indians should up" and a warning against rumours enter the town, remaining on one was given by the Prime Minister, Mr bank of the River Karun while Eurughl, at a session of the Iranian Iranian troops returned to their Government this morning, according barracks; (2) That British hostages, mostly oil-men, should be released After stating that "our discussions immediately and (3) That Iranian

Soviet Advance

MOSCOW, Aug. 31 (Reuter).-Zenjan, which Soviet troops have He said that there was a plentiful now reached, is in the north-west of the capital.

Resh is about 20 miles southeast of the Caspian port of Pahlevi, which also has been entered and which is the starting point of the motor road leading to Teheran.

For a large part of the way, this road is a series of narrow bends round precipitous hillsides and long stretches have simply been blasted out of rock. An over-enthusiastic driver could easily send his car hurtling over thousand-foot drops. Without Policy Change Shahrud is the third point of Caspian port of Bandar Shah. Shahrud is the third point of the

#### German Agents

Reports from Tabriz show that conversations with the population in number of villages in northern had been feverishly abusy in those of fighting on the eastern front. The agents told the villagers that the Germans had already occupied a

#### Arms Imported

Port officials informed Soviet troops that German agents had established a number of esplonage nests and, using the trade-marks of a commercial firm, had brought in many arms and explosives. The German agents also openly, sought confidential information and showed greatest interest in the strength of

The reports add that many interviewed Iranians state that "none of on this occasion fulfil its pledge to withdraw its troops from Iran when the danger arising from German

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# Unreliable Japanese Reports on Thailand

("Reuter's" Special Correspondent)

BANGKOK, Aug. 31.—The frequency with which the Thai Government have lately felt obliged to issue official denials of rumours has aroused widespread comment in political quarters.

sources drew an official contra-

An analysis shows that that "Absolutely devoid of truth" is in the last few weeks no less the That Government commutation to the latest Japanthan 16 press reports from ese allegation that British and Japanese sources have been American Ministers in Bangkok have either flatly denied in com- threatened economic pressure assure. Thalland unless she ceased trade us doubt that the Soviet Union, which muniques or by the authorita- relations with Japan. The comdoes not break its engagements, will tive spokesman while only one munique mildly rebukes another report from non-Japanese Japanese dally for the suggestion that after Iran, Thailand will be the next victim of Anglo-American



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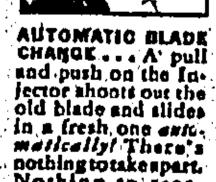
cause that smarting, burning after-shave dis-

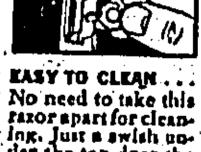
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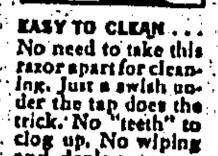
the tiny ridges out flat and smooth in front of the blade, just as a barber does with his fingers.

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# MONDAY MORNING COMMENTARY

# Boxing Carnival To Aid Bomber Fund

Craigengower

Win Senior

Divisional Title

K. Tong Slip

Tong slipped up badly by going down in all rinks to Craigengower C.C. at

ders, by Hongkong F.C. at Happy

Although still in the lead, K.B.G.C.

The Police are thus in a very

FIRST GAMES

IN U. S. NATIONAL

TENNIS TOURNAMENT

NEW YORK, Aug. 30 (UP).-

The United States Men's and

Women's Singles Lawn Tennis

Championships made a start to-day

on the world famous Forest Hills

courts, scene of many an inter-

national and National champion-

ship, when Don McNelll, reigning

Men's champion, entered the second

round, while several matches in

the Women's section in which the

title is vacant, were also played.

Frank Kovac, highly fancled for the final, beat Bernard Welsh 6-3, 4-6, 6-1,

Davis Cup captain and seeded player, beat Marshall Chambers 6-3, 6-2, 1-6

6-1. Gilbert Hunt, another seeded player, bent Ronald Edwards 6-4, 7-5,

6-0, 6-2, 6-3.

United Press.

Interesting.

6-1; Edward Dall beat Russell Bobbitt

Wood Beaten

With the Hongkong Area Swimming Championship barely a fort-

night away, to-morrow night's

Inter-Club Swimming gala be-tween the European Y.M.C.A., the

Combined Royal Artillery, the

Middlesex Regiment and the Com-

bined Small Units including the

Royal Corps of Signals, in the "Y"

pool at 8 p.m. should prove very

Changes

The programme is more or less the same as that of the quadrangular gala

Royal Engineers, the

7-5, and G. S. Lyttleton-Rogers, Irish

strong challenging position.

In the Second Division, Kowloon

the championship in 1936.

danger of relegation.

Valley.



K. TONG v. CRAIGENGOWER . . . . Kowloon Tong virtually lost all interest in the Second Division bowls championship when they were trounced 5-0 by Craigengower on Saturday. Tommy Lock is here shown directing his men against J. L. Stephens (K. Tong) who was beaten on this rink 25-9.—Ming Yuen.

# International Pennant Io China

#### U.S. Navy Reduce Odds In Charity Series

Happy Valley and thus said good-bye WITH A SMASHING VICTORY that left no doubts as to their hopes of winning the shield. regards worthiness to hold the pennant, China humbled the Kowloon Football Club, the League leaders, were also beaten, but they United States 11-3 in the final of the local International Basemanaged to take two points, and are ball Tournament on Saturday. But Uncle Sam's navy lads now eight points ahead of Kowloon regained much of their lost prestige yesterday, when they Tong, each team having three more matches to play. narrowed the odds in the Charity Series by beating Hongkong 7-3 to put the score on a 2-1 base.

saw the Marauding Mohawks in a convincing manner, crossing come through 18-6 over South thereafter were scoreless.

the close struggle that had featured China's pavilion, the previous two games when, after the third, the scores were deadlocked at 3-all.

For two whole innings there was no change. Three times Hongkong went to bat without addition to their total, and the U.S. Navy U.S.A.: finally came through for victory in their sixth canto.

The tars connected for five solid hits off pitcher Lau in this fatal frame, and four batters crossed the plate. And the four-run lead was too much for the All-Stars, there being no further scoring. Scores inning by inning were:

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Hongkong:

CHINA went "to town" in decisive ball language when they romped across the plate ten times in the second and third frames of the International final on Saturday.

Yesterday's nightcap tangle. The Stars and Stripes opened up three times in the initial stanza, but

The five runs in the second frame are only half a point ahead of the The Charity series would have gave China a two-run lead, but the Indians-who beat Hongkong C.C. been over 3-0 had Hongkong's All- succeeding inning brought in another 5-0-and four and a half points Stars scored another win yesterday, five which set up a breeze to unfurl ahead of the Police, who have three and the game had the earmarks of the International pennant over matches in hand.

Scores were:

#### Early Forecast

New York, Aug. 30. Robert Riggs, former Wimbledon and American Singles grass court Tennis champion, and Frankle Kovacs, who has voiced an ambition to win the United States National Singles title five times in succession, are expected to fight out the American Singles championship which begins to-day on the world famous Forest Hills' courts. olonship which begins to-day on the vorld famous Forest Hills' courts.

The United States Women's Singles of the first to gain the second round. title is very open, with several young players challenging Helen Jacobs, a former challplon, for the honour of becoming the successor to Miss Alice Marble, who is now a professional.—

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Attractive Wrestling Bouts

Hongkong has received the attention of a man who is capable of more than words. A show is going on. The venue—the Star Theatre, Kowloon—and the date—October 3—have been fixed.

More than that, the top names on the bill have been withdrawn from the League, and the removed from the records.

khosen, and others are in the process of selection.

And it's all in aid of the Bomber Fund.

Len Collins, former light-weight champion of London, is Aquatics the promoter. He has chafed for quite some time at the inactivity of the Colony, and here sees the opportunity not only of giving boxing a life impulse but of performing a dual serviceaiding the Bomber Fund as well.

When I last wrote on this subject, it was hoped that the European Second Time In One Week Y.M.C.A. would lend their basketball court, especially, in view of the NEEDING FOUR POINTS to be certain of the First Division Bowls the one who should know, put the Championship, Craigengower C.C. inverted "V" sign on the plan. scored five against Civil Service

C.C. on Saturday. They last won Another excuse, which is far stronger, is that the "Y" authorities Other leading teams in the First thought that the court would be Division also won their fixtures, damaged by the erection of a ring. while of the bottom teams Kowloon It is cement concrete. B.G.C. "B" are still in the greatest

However, the show is going on. · Wrestling Bouts

A LL-IN wrestling bouts are two A of the outstanding features on the programme. The first of these is between two contenders for the heavyweight title of the Punjab! -Killer Hassan and Superman

The second bout is between Tiger Singh and the Black Bomber. If you've ever seen a man tangled The Third Division Champion- in a "crocodile clutch," the short arm ship has become more open as the lock or the "rocking-chair" you know result of the smashing defeat of the thrills of gory anticipation. Kowloon B.G.C., the League lea- Every moment you expect something

#### Hole In One

on Saturday, A. J. Dennis holed the short 2nd in one.

to break or give—but it doesn't. The game stops short of disablement. This is a form of wrestling that in its inception took the United States by\_storm. It\_ls\_still\_immensely. popular, but clowning and commer-

lacle than a sport. gers to the Punjab title, and in this the bout promises to be one of real

cialism have made it more a spec-

Several bouts will be put on, prominent among which will be a heavyweight match between Private Moran, of the Middlesex Regiment, and A.N. Other.

It is a bout that will provide military circles with a keen interest in Gordon Mulloy, a seeded player, beat Sydney B. Wood Jr., 1931 Wimbledon Champion and 1935 U.S. National Hongkong. Civilian enthusiasts have Singles runner-up to Wilmer Allison, been too few to even call a section Bryan "Bitsy" Grant, Jr., a Davis
Cup player and formerly strong contender for the National Singles crown, best Ray Gladman 7-5, 6-3, 6-3. Robert
L. Riggs, present holder of the Wimbledon Singles and Doubles titles and former IIS absorbion hart Bobbs 176.

bledon Singles and Doubles titles and former U.S. champion, beat Robin Hippenstall 6-2, 6-4, 6-3.

Miss Dorothy Bundy, one of the sceded women players, entered the second round of the Women's Singles the establishment of a boxing clique second round of the Women's Singles the establishment of a boxing clique Middle Training Class 100 metres free-style; Men's 400 metres free-style; Men's 400 metres free-style; Middle Training Class 100 metres free-style; Middle Traini causes, and it is not anticipated that 6-3, 6-3, while Miss Helen Bernhard sporting needs. beat Mrs Madge Vosters 6-1, 6-2.—

#### JOINT FAVOURITES Military-"Y" FOR ST LEGER Gala To-morrow

King's Fifth Success

LONDON, Aug. 30 (Reuter). The Newbury course betting on the St: Leger classic, which will take place on September 26, found Chateau La Rose Joining Mazarin Obstacle swimming (50 metres), Wateras foint favourite at 6 to 1 with 8 polo to 1 and others offered. Sanlo and Saint Blazio, which were both quoted at 100 to 1 at the last callover, have now been scratched.

King's Success

His Majesty the King's Big Game, by

mon relay of 000 yards, each covering place.
six lengths of the pool.

#### Chan Chun-nam Again Breaks 440 Record

FOR THE SECOND TIME within a week, Chan Chunnam, 'Colony distance aquatic | record for the quarter mile. This was during the Lai Tsun-Y.M.C.A. on Saturday night, punjab "B" 315. almost six seconds better than 348. 2nd/14th Punjab "A" 327 v 2nd/14th

University were without the service of Charles Huang, and though 5th/7th Rajput "B" 363 v. Middlesex competition was spirited and close, the Lat Tsun stars were ever that bit better and won by the wide margin of 28-8 points.

Second highlight of the evening was Chan's effort in the 50 yards. He took first place in 26.4 secs, which is also the second time within a week that he has been below 27 seconds. Results:

50 yards—1, Ng Chun-man (H.K.U.); 2. Lau Tal-ping (Lai Tsun); 3, Tsang Cheong-ming (Lai Tsun), Time 26-2/5 440 yards.—1. Chan Chun-nam (Lai Tsun); 2, Yau Sai-kwan (Lai Tsun); 3, Kenneth Lo (H.K.U.). Time 5 mins 19 4/5 (Record). Hole in One

Women's 120 yards individual medley (Members).—1, Miss Ko Mui-ling; 2, Miss Sa Wal-ying; 3, Miss Tsang Fung-kwen-Time 1 min 40 4/5. Time 1 min 40 4/5.

100 yards back-stroke,—1, Poon Wingkai (Lai Tsun); 2, Lau Yiu-ting (Lai
Tsun); 3, Luk Man-wai (H.K.U.). Time

H.Q. Coy "B" 299.

1R.A.F. "B" 313 v Royal Scots "C" Coy 1 min 14 1/5.

Women's 50 yards (Members).—1, Miss Ko Mul-ling; 2, Miss Mok Sum-lan; 3, Miss Cheung Oi-lin. - Time 33 3/5, 220 yards breast-stroke.—1, Yau Salkwan—(Lai Tsun); 2, Hui Kwan-lun (H.K.U.); 3, Tsang Cheong-po. Time 3

Mins 11.

120 yards medley relay—1, Lai. Tsun (Lau Yiu-ting, Tsang Cheong-ming and Lau Tai-ping); 2, Hongkong University (Hui Kwan-lun, Kenneth Lo, and Ng Chun-man); Timé 72 2/5.

Mixed members' 50 yards handicap—1, Ko Wai-hung; 2, Lo Shul-fook; 3, Miss Mok Sum-lan. Time 38 sees, Women's 50 yards heart-stroke (Mome 375, However, in this event, both Killer Hassan and Superman Singh both claim to being first challen
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Cheong-po; 3, Ko Wal-hung. Time 1 min sport—the outcome to settle the dispute.

Prominent Boxers

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But the wrestling does not rob the boxing of its attraction.

Prominent Boxers

22-2/5.

160 yards.—1, Chan Chun-nam (Lai Tsun) and Lau Tai-ping (dead heat); 3, J. C. Fenton (H.K.U.). Time 62-2/5 secs.

160 yards relay.—1, Lai Tsun (Tsang Cheong-ming, Yau Sal-kwan, Chan Chun-nam and Lau Tai-ping); 2, Hongkong University (Au Kwok-kee, Hui Kwan-lun, J. C. Fenton and Ng Chun-man).

Time 1 min 29-1/5. Time 1 min 20-1/5.

#### Coming Galas S.C.A.A. Meet To-morrow

South China Athletic Association will hold their fourth swimming gala of the season at their Pavilion. North Point, to-morrow at 7.30 p.m. sharp.

Following is the programme:--Men's when she beat Mrs Norman Barber who will cater to one of the Colony's style; Women's 400 metres free-style; Staff 100 metres free-style; Long plunge.

C.C.S.C. Sports

Hongkong Chinese : Civil Servants' Club will hold their second Swimming gala of the season at North Point on Saturday next, September 0, at 7,30

The prize have been donated by Mr Kwok Hee-leung, and the programme Men's 50 metres back-stroke, Men's metres free-style, Men's 200 metres breast-stroke, Women's 50 metres breast-stroke, Children's 50 metres preast-stroke, Beginners' 25 metres free-style, Members 100 metres relay, Inter-department 150 metres medicy relay,

#### Ho Wai-king Breaks National Record

of August 21 except that one or two changes have been made. The Medley relay will be of teams of six, but each swimmer will only cover 25 yards instead of 50, while in the plunging and diving, two competitiors instead of one will perform. A new event is the six man relay of 100 yards each covering the covering the King's Big Game, by Bahram out of Myrobella, won's thrift ing race to-day for the valuable Champar Stakes, by a short head, from Lord Derby's Watling Street, by Fairway out of Ranal, with Lord Rose diving, two competitiors instead of one berry's Hyperides, by Hyperion out of Will perform. A new event is the six Priscilla two lengths benind in third gala when Miss Ho Wai-king, gala when Miss Ho Wai-king, men relay of 900 yards, each covering place.

six lengths of the pool.

There will be no entrance fee, but a collection box will be at the door, donations being for the British Prison- occasions been successful as a Myrobella colt in its early racing days.

Youthful star of the North Point Club, returned a time of \$1.5 seconds for the distance, the former record being 83 secs established by Miss Myrobella colt in its early racing days.

Youthful star of the North Point Club, returned a time of \$1.5 seconds for the distance, the former record being 83 secs established by Miss

Rifle Shooting

# Police "A" Set New Record In Small Bore League

POLICE "A" established a new record aggregate score of 383 against the 22nd Fortress Company, Royal Engineers, in the First Division (Open sights) of the Hongkong Rifle Association's Miniature Rifle League during the period ending on August 24.

The Police Reserve team, who | (By "Tinker")

(By "Tinker")

AT LONG LAST! The resurrection of boxing in Ship in the First Division by a

removed from the records.

The 12 leading marksmen in the Open
Sight League for the first half of the

A.S.I. P. II. Thong (II.K.P.R.) 12 93.36 first 18 holes, and there never seemed Sgt O. T. Leong (II.K.P.R.) .... 7 91.60 to be any doubt as to the outcome of 7 01.60 to be any doubt as to the outcome of Sgt Puran Singh (H.K.P. "A") , 12 01.0 Col Naranjan Singh (H.K.P. 'A") 10 90.0 Sgt J. R. Wall (H.K.P. "A") , 12 00.0 Pte Butcher (R. Scota H.Q.) Coy "A")
W. O. F. Hollison (R.A.F. "A") 12 88.9
Cpl Charan Singh (H.K.P. "B") 5 88.0
L/Cpl G. Pemberton (R.E. Stan-Jem. Hasham Khan (Punjab "E") 8 88.25 L/Cpl E. Allo (R.E. Stonecutters) 4 88.0 N.K. Lakhan Singh (Rajput "A") 4 88.0 Latest Results The following were the results of

matches held during the week ending FIRST DIVISION—(OPEN BIGHTS)
Collinson R.C. "A" 304 v. R.A.F. "A" 331.
Bth/7th Rajput "C" 333 v. Royal Scots
"C" Coy "A" 345. Royal Scots "B" Coy 356 v. Middlesex scored their second victory in Happy champion, has broken his own Middlesex "B" 313 v 611/7th Rajput 2nd/14th Punjab "D" 332 v Royal Scots Foursomes yesterday, benting G. E. 'D" Coy "A" \* Willerton and T. J. Price 6 and 5 in University gala at the Chinese "D" 334. Ratput "D" 332 v Middleses. 2nd/14th Punjab "E" 322 y 2nd/14th Chan negotiated the distance H.K. Police "A" 303 v 22nd (F) Coy Reserve "B" 348. in 5 mins 19.8 sees, which is RAF. "A" 344 v 5th/7th Rajput "A"

his record time of 5 mins 23.6. Punjab "C" 316.

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-APERTURE "SIGHTS" HIK. Police "A" 307 v HIK. Police R.A.F. 360 v †H.R. Police Reserve "A"

#### Marvin Ward Wins Second U. S. Amateur Title

OMAHA, Nebraska, Aug. 30 (Reuter).—Marvin Ward, 1939 winner, to-day secured his second United States Amateur Golf Championship title when he beat Patrick B. Abbott, in the 36 holes final, four up and three to play. Ward was four up at the end of the

the match at that stage. Abbolt was

runner-up in 1038 and so reached his second final. In the semi-final round Marvin Ward beat Bobby Riegel, of Texas, nine and eight, while Abbott beat Ted Bishop, of Massachusetts, by one hole, both matches being over 36 holes.—Reuter.

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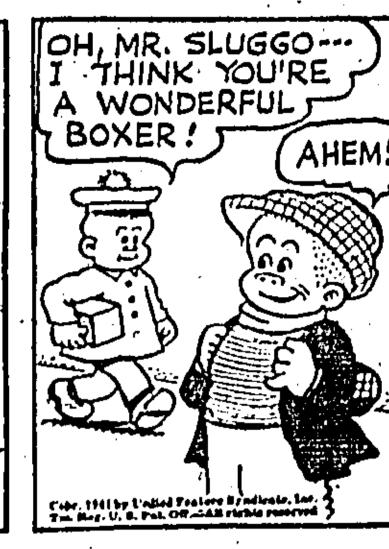
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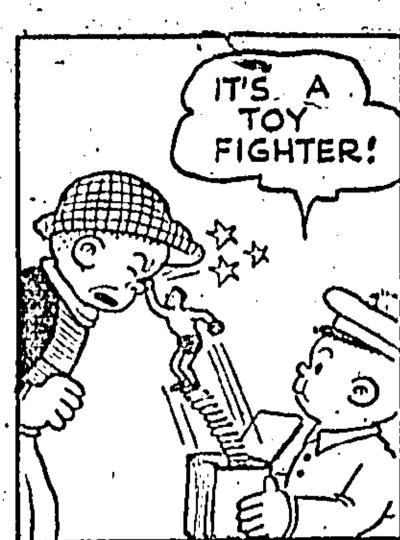
Sports & Game

#### **NANCY**











By Ernie Bushmiller

## U.S. Communists All-Out For British Middle Classes

The National Committee of the Communist Party of the United States after an all-day meeting "somewhere in New York City," recently changed the party line again to make it fit rapidly changing international affairs.

Of special interest in the committee's publicity release were two startiling declarations of new policy:
"Defend America by giving full aid to the Soviet Union, Great Britain and all nations who fight against

"Preserve and extend the economic standards and democratic liberties of the American people . . . the workers, farmers, and middle classes! Stop monopoly war profiteering!

American—Communists had opposed and to Britain and hadn't bothered much about the welfare of the following being the latest list of dona-American "middle classes."

Party spokesmen said that 145 de- Service Pay) legates attended the policy con- In loving memory of "Grannlo" ference, representing every state, from E. H.

voting unanimously for the new party line. However, the place of victory V's per Miss Naylor the party meeting was kept secret.

#### Hitler The Enemy

Sticking to the Communist argument that the war was brought on by~eapltalist statesmen of the imperialist powers the committee's statement agreed that Hitler's plan was to "enslave the peoples of the world."

"There can be no peace for the peoples of the world without the complete destruction of Hitler and Hitlerism," the statement said. "Hitler Faseism stands exposed as the greatest and main enemy of the peoples of the world."

The new party line identifies "the greatest menace to the American people" as "the Hoovers, Lindberghs, Wheelers and Norman Thomases, the Coughlins and Hearts-the spokesmen of the most reactionary circles of the bourgeoise."

#### £200,000,000 Deal To Buy City Of London

The City Corporation may pay £200,000,000 to secure municipal fare Council acknowledges the following ownership of the citadel of Capital. donations received during August: of London will be the first city in Britain to pass into public owner- | \$20; O.C. c/o S. C. M. Post, \$5; Mr and

City Corporation is viewing rebuild- [Mrs L. W. H. Poon, \$20; Foreign Auximary], ing plans from every aspect.

The rateable value of "the square August: mile" is about £8,300,000, This means a capital site value of something like £220,000,000.

the vested interests concerned may vote for outright purchase to complete its scheme for a new

#### Opportunity Missed

its opportunity.

plans for a beautiful city with broad fully acknowledges the receipt of straight streets.

But Wren's plan was pushed on one side because of the City's rush to rebuild, and because of the insistence on the maintenance of their

rights by owners of the Innd.

It is to be hoped that the Corporation will not be side-tracked this S. C. Mr. Post: Lord Mayor's Fund for

Equally it is to be hoped that the soners of War Relief Fund; Food Kitdeal will not put extortionate mil- chens Fund; St Vincent de Paul; S.P.C.A. llons into the pockets of ground landlords.

#### Ford Optimistic Of Future

Henry Ford, celebrating his 78th of London this month. birthday recently, is reported to He is to be succeeded by Barringhave said that he believes that after ton Ward, Assistant Editor since the war there will come an era "All- October, 1927. ed with opportunity for everybody Mr Dawson was editor of "The who can refrain from looking back- Times" from 1912 to 1919, leaving ward and who will go forward." after a quarrel with Lord Northeliff He has no fear of depression after over policy. He returned as editor the defence programme is concluded shortly after Lord Northeliff's passing

if competition remains active. search for new materials, especially famous old "Thunderer" has been among the plastles, and that a notably independent on occasion and tremendous expansion in aviation he often has been recognised as an will give employment to millions in authoritative spokesman of the Govhew world,

# Bomber Donations

Heretofore—that is, since the Ber- Bomber Fund included a number of

Mr H. W. Fraser (Auxiliary Fire (second donation) ..... Kowloon City "Lap Sap" (afth In loving memory of Mother— Lenore Winfield In memory of our beloved Mother Mr A. R. Dimond (in loving memory of Maude Fitz-Stubbs Woods who passed away on Sept. 1, 1940) Supreme Court Bomb (seventeenth

Mrs Hogg .... P. S. S. Chicken Feed (week-

Mr Stuart Longfield ..... 100 "N. M."
Mr Kong I Sun J.P.
Mrs E. J. Grant Mr R. C. Jones ..... Mr W. Hewitt Mrs M. S. Fortescue Miss S. M. Swift ..... Mrs Annie Sharp Misses Ailcen & Doris Woods .... W. H. E. C. ......

ORTHOPAUDIC CENTRES The following is a list of subscriptions received to date for credit of the British Fund for Relief of Distress in China, Hongkong and South China Branch, for Orthopaedic Centres in Free China: Orthopsedic Centres in Free Unita;
Previously acknowledged, \$100,700.76;
Cowloon Tong Garden City Association (being half proceeds of raffle at Club's Supper, Dance on 28/5/41), \$30; Mr Ng Manu, \$10; Mr Kwok Lain-po, \$60; Mr Kwong Tre-ming, \$10; Dr T. J. Hua, \$20; Through Messrs F. Fongkey & Co., \$147.50. Total \$107,080.26.

EMERGENCY REFUGEE COUNCIL

Refugee Council:

Sympathisers (114th Contribution) \$10. If the deal goes through the City | Students of Linguan University, for tak ing over garden crops, \$27.44; Kwong Sang Hong, \$500; Mrs B. J. Ruttonjee, S. C. M. Post (four weekly donations) Like all other municipalities, the \$40; H.R., \$25; Mrs Y. H. Poon, \$23.50; Mrs L. W. H. Poon, \$20; Foreign Auxillary \$12.50; Mr W. H. Ll. \$2. Donations in kind during the month

Fifty "Bowl of Rice" tickets, Mr Leong Ful; 400 pieces of firewood. Sandakan Chamber of Commerce: freightage on firewood, Messrs Jardine, Matheson and So complicated and involved are Tan; 500 pieces of firewood, Union Firewood Co., Sandakan; freightage on in Brewood, Messra Jardine, Matheson and City ownership that the Corporation | Co.; one "Howl of Rice" ticket. A Friend. PRIBONERS OF WAR FUND

The S. C. M. Post has received following donation to the British soners of War Fund "In memory of our beloved Mother," from Alleen and Doris

Once before—after the Great Fire following donation to the Soup Kitchens in 1666—the City Corporation missed Appeal Fund "in memory of our beloved Mother," from Alleen and Doris Woods;

Sir Christopher Wren drew up The Director of Medical Services gratedonor, who has kindly undertaken to give the initial equipment of, and to maintain for one year, an additional Kindergarten class for 30 children in the Morrison Hill Camp School.

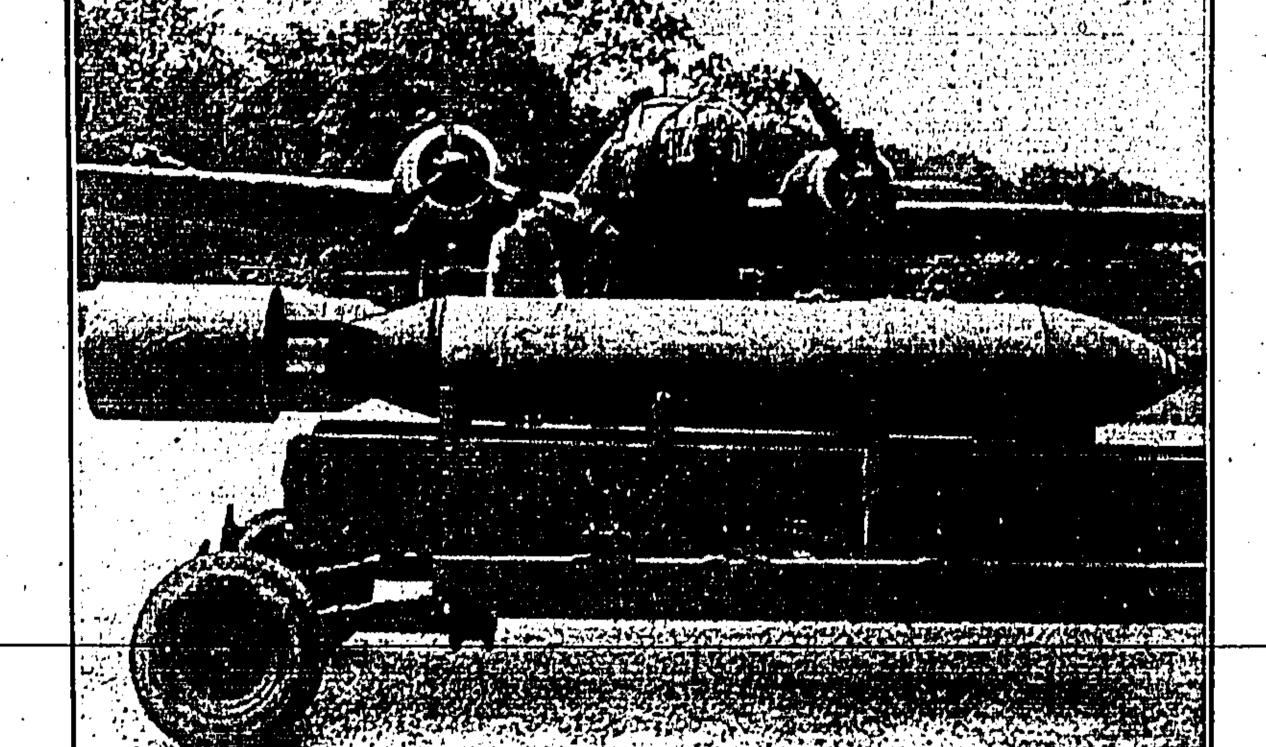
The S. C. M. Post has received the following donation to the Society for the That is why the City is still intersected with narrow twisting alleyDoris Woods: \$5. DONATIONS WAITING

tions await collection at the office of the the Relief of Air. Victims: B.W.O.F.:

#### Noted Editor To Retire

Mr. Geoffrey Dawson plans to retire as editor of "The Times"

He forecasts that industry will His long-time editorship of the ernment point of view.



SOMETHING FOR ADOLF-One of the most destructive implements of war is this British 2,000-pound bomb, especially designed to pierce the heaviest armour. It is shown just before it was placed in the bomb rack of the plane in the background, for use against

# Credit Freezing Wakes Economic Situation Of S'hai More Acute

By ROBERT P. MARTIN

SHANGHAI, Aug. 12 (UP).—Four years of war have placed Shanghai in an abnormal economic situation, which the freezing of Chinese and Japanese credits and continuance of the war apparently will make increasingly acute.

Trade between Shanghai and the hinterland is more difficult than trade between many foreign countries loy Exports barrier. Japanese import commodity controls in the past year, combined with the increased circulation of military yen and new Nanking dollars, have further dislocated the economic structure.

dollars in Shanghai, but inves- business intercourse, Shanghailanders following donation to the Emergency although in Japanese-occupied Japanese occupation of the city areas outside foreign conces- always in the background. sions and in the Nankingadministered Greater Shanghai Shanghai because they had no desire municipality there are hundreds to antagonize third powers. Another is now Japanese-occupied and for- Anglo-American retaliation.

eigners' rights there are curtailed. Hongkey and Yangtzepoo, have run their own public utility enter- nese dollars. prises in spite of franchises possessed

by foreign companies. Health Declines

industries.

The greatest effect of war on Shanghal was the change in the direction of Shanghai's trade. Shanghai has now become virtually completely dependent on commercial intercourse with foreign countries whereas previously it had depended on a continuous and ample supply from the interior of cheap food, cotton and other raw materials, including coal. War devastation, curtailed produc-

Shanghai in the past two years was forced to import from abroad all Its | President Quezon, in an unbasis. This arose from currency culosis. while a few made profits, 🥍 🔠

New Difficulties

There are millions of idle to put new obstacles in the path of

The Japanese have not occupied of factories still in ruins which reason was that Shanghal provided a to go without their toys so that S20; O.C. c/o S. C. M. Post, \$5; Mr and could be repaired and operated. for "squeeze" and currency manipu-The war cut a new line of demar- lations. If Anglo-American freezing pay for the war. In London, cation right through the International orders eleminate these advantages, the world's largest makers of Settlement. The industrially import the Japanese may move in unless toy soldiers, who use about 500 tant eastern district of the settlement they are prevented by threats of

> International Settlement police and ended at a single blow Shanghal's now working entirely upon exthey pay taxes to the Shanghai privileged position as a free interna- port orders, and many of these municipality, but in most respects tional exchange market based on the are for India. they are Japanese-controlled areas, free convertibility of Anglo-Saxon In the eastern district of the settle- currencies against, Chinese dollars. The United States is buying five ment, the Japanese control and man- Japanese and Japanese sponsored or six times as many British toy age a number of expropriated private currencies have all been inconverti- soldiers as it did before the war, Chinese industries and continue to ble for a long time except into Chi- and children there are showing

had been anticipated here for months. According to high-informed quar-As a result of the above-mentioned ters, U.S. Treasury Secretary Henry in 1941 lines like the Indian infanrestrictions, the settlement and the Morgenthau and T. V. Soong, Bank try in service dress, Royal Indian French concession are now in an of China chairman, used the threat of Service Corps, and a special mounartificially isolated position, although freezing to harass Shanghai spec- tain battery, with guns, gunners, generous gift of \$250 from an anonymous foreigners there have enjoyed greater ulators, resulting in large-scale repa-mules and mounted officers, as well security of life and property than triation of Chinese capital from the as old favourites like Hodson's Horse, elsewhere. However, there is an United States and large-scale recon- the Gurkha Rifles, Sikins, Skinner's enormous congestion in population, version of United States dollar hold- Horse and the Bikanir Camel Corps. resulting in the decline of public lings into yuan. The latter move- Modern mechanical warfare is rehealth, increase in criminality and ments accounted for the firmness of fleeted in the strong demand for the mushroom growth of new small-scale the yuan's exchange value in the past latest models of tanks, aeroplanes, seven months.

# tion, and Japanese diversion have string up this source.

rice, most of its cotton, and half of scheduled radio talk recently, said he its coal supplies, and in the same expected to live 25 more years. He history, some on foreign currency the Philippines fight against tuber- great beyond. . . ."

depreciation, which cheapened Shang- . The President's remarks were a The Chesterton Evidence Guild hal labour so enormously that local surprise to radio fans. When in- which holds weekly broadcasts on industrial products could compete formed of the desire of the Guild to timely topics of public interest is almost anywhere. Thus, the masses have him say a few words during made up of studnets and alumni of found their living standard lowered the anti-tuberculosis campaign pro- the Atenco de Manila. President gramme, the chief executive graci- Quezon congratulated members of

Anglo-American freezing threatening against; the illness which now af against the dreaded disease, -

# For The War

Toy soldiers and miniature tors are extremely reluctant fleulties, with the spectre of possible war equipment direct from the war zone are the latest craze with children.

> Children in Britain are having tons of lead to make upwards Anglo-American freezing orders of 12,500,000 items a year, are

special interest in the Empire troops The American freezing regulations fighting in the Near East.

Young India is keenly interested Bren-gun carriers, barrage balloon units, Army lorries and motor cyclists.

Many children in India still prefer the traditional cowboys and Red Indians, Zulus and Togoland war-

flicts him for the second time and told a story of what one of his doctors in New York, Dr Giller, told him when asked how much longer he could live in view of his illness

"Dr Giller said," the President period it exported abroad industrial spoke by remote control from Mala- stated, "I had 25 more years of life products formerly marketed in the canan over station KZRM on the if I had the will to live. In fact, I interior. Numerous corporations radio programme of the Chesterton think," he continued, "I will live carned the biggest profits in their Evidence Guild which dramatised another 25 years before I go to the

ously consented. .... the Guild for their interesting dra-With Japanese expansionism and . The President recalled his fight matisation of the nation's fight

# Starvation Destroys One-Third of Shansi

One-third to one-half the population of southeastern Shansi Province, China, has been wiped out in the last few weeks by starvation and pestilence, according to a cable received in New York by United China Relief from George A. Hogg, American relief worker in Shansi.

Hogg's report, forwarded by the China Defence League in Hongkong, of which Mme Sun Yat-sen is president, said that "scorched earth tactics" had accounted for most of the deaths. He failed to indicate the number of victims, but Shansi Province's population is 10,681,090.

"Livestock has been killed) and produce destroyed, so that the population has been left without food," the report said. Shaw Tells

Epidemic Followed
Epidemic rapidly followed the devastation of all the south-eastern

The World section of the province, with the result that the health conditions have become "monstrous," it was reported.

Describing the stricken area through which he had made a trip to evaluate relief needs, Hogg said: "In almost every village and town on his 85th birthday recently that he there were large numbers of empty is writing a new book on politics, and burned-out houses, fields were untended, live stock gone, body's Political What's What." More Than Half Ill

"Everywhere there was a chance the A.B.C. of politics," he said. "My to make anything like a detailed book will be an elementary textbook half the total population had recently on the subject. been seriously ill with typhoid, typhus, relaping fever and influenza plus two equals four—not seven or epidemics which swept the area in eight, as some people seem to think. been seriously ill with typhold, the wake of the army."

The report ended with an appeal to the American Committee in Aid of Chinese Co-operatives and the China Aid Council two American relief groups which, through the what we were going to do United China Relief Campaign, are when Germany is beaten. co-ordinating their appeal for medical and material aid for devastated

**Britons Held** 

In Morocco

Food Shortage Serious

area outside Casablanea, they have

The food situation in Morocco is

Sugar and butter are almost un-

As a result mutton and the native

couscous are almost the unvaried

There are various signs, besides

the internment of Britons in Morocco,

of Vichy's growing collaboration with

Germans Parade

constantly in waiting to take goods

Uniformed Germans are now seen

town, which is completely under

is now officially one of the most

ACROSS

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20-Hoboes

23-45 inches

beer 32—Btannum

diet, even in the blg hotels.

obtainable. Beef is obtainable only

becoming as critical as in France.

been allowed to go free.

once a week.

the Nazis.

occupied zones.

to Germany.

Britions in Morocco are now being

#### going to win the war for us. It was mad of Hitler to attack Russia, "Somebody asked me the other day what we were going to do to Hitler "I replied by saying that the ques-

tion was: 'What is Russia going to do to him?" Asked what Russin would do to

Hitler, Shaw answered: "I have not "I am much more interested in

what Britain and America are going to do about Russia when it's all

What's what

George Bernard Shaw announced

Shaw sald he would call it "Every-

"I've discovered that nobody knows

"It now seems clear that Russia Is

#### Up to now, except for a restricted Test Of A Good Little Hun

Proof that in splite of the victories gained by Hitler many Germans refuse to accept the Nazi yoke is offorded by the recent publication of new Nazi decrees which have beendesigned as part of a system to put pressure on "unloyal" Germans.

Details of the scheme are:-

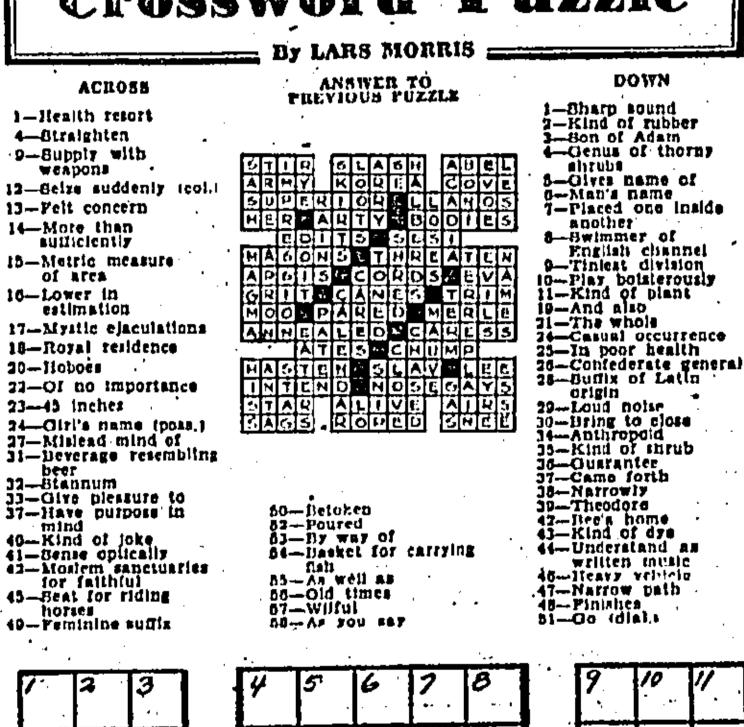
Every German family shall get what is described as "education Parades of German troops take help" for the third and subsequent place daily in towns in the unchildren. This "help" will be paid by local ecomissions in every com-At Sete, the Mediterranean port munity, the same commissions being near the Spanish frontier, hundreds authorised to refuse payment in the of German and Polish wagons are following cases:—

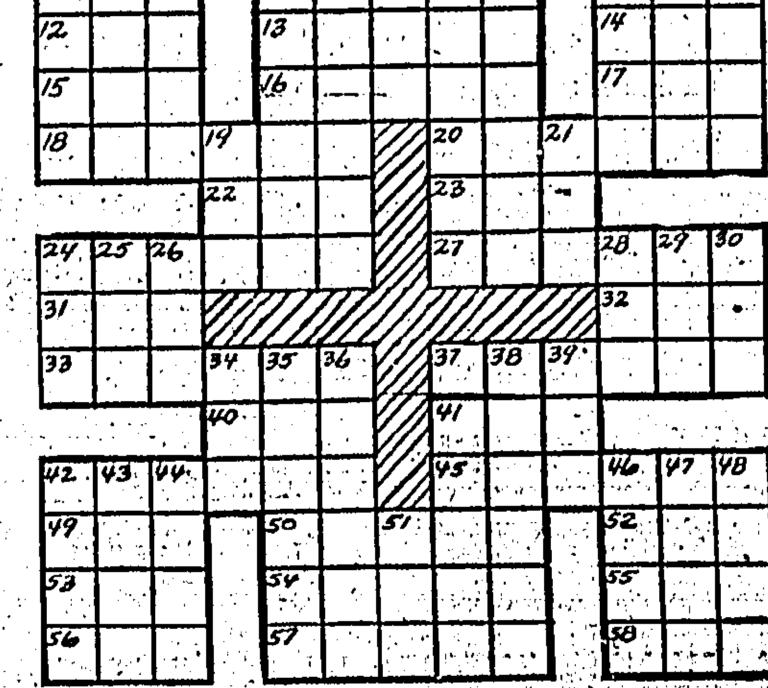
1. If the family has anti-social These goods are imports from the habits;

2. If the child suffers from hereeverywhere in the streets of the ditary diseases; 3. If the child is racially unclean: 4. If the child refuses to obey

As a result of new decrees France the orders of the Nazi party; and 5. If the parents—especially the nctive anti-Jewish countries in father-refuse to serve the interests of the Reich and the German nation Already more than 15,000 French This means that practically only and foreign Jews are stated to have those parents who are members of been arrested and sent to concen- the Nazi party will receive the much advertised "education help."

# Crossword Puzzle





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SHOWING TO-DAY

DAILY AT 2.30, 8.30, 7.30, 0.50 P.M. A CHINESE PICTURE IN MANDARIN

#### CHANNEL ALIVE WITH PLANES

FROM PAGE ONE

there were no British bombers over Germany itself.

Cities Singled Out

On the three remaining six nights, Mannheim was heavily attacked. There was a particularly heavy raid on Cologne on August 26 while Dusseldorf and Duisberg were the main objectives on the other two nights.

Subsidiary night attacks were also carried out on air ports at Boulogne, Le Havre and Ostend. No single day passed without the

British Air Force making daylight sweeps, one of which was remarkable for a low level attack on Rotterdam. Numerous daylight attacks were also made against shipping.

The heavy offensive nature of these activities is shown by figures of losses—the Germans lost 21 and the British 73, of which 43 were bombers, 27 fighters and three not specified. Busy Day

LONDON, Aug. 31 (Reuter).-To-day was one of the busiest days for the Fighter Command since the Battle of Britain last autumn. As the first streak of dawn was spreading across the sky, Spitfires were on their way to France, states the Air Ministry news service. From then until dark the offensive was kept up without stop.

Many pilots were over enemy territory more than once in the day, but there were few combats. Enemy fighters seen were nearly always in a minority and they mostly avoided

British formations. One Canadlan sergeant, however, found himself in a doglight with several Messerschmitts, one of which he shot down. He also damaged

another. Twice during the morning, bombers were safely escorted to and from their targets as far inside France as London is from the south coast. Other fighters took a force of bombers to the Brest area, where an im portant aerodrome was successfully nttacked. In the evening, British fighters were again over France in force.

Flying Fortresses Bremen port was bombed this evening by Flying Fortresses. captain who in civil life was a sheep farmer in Australia, said that there was thick cloud in banks on the journey over the North Sea, with occasional clear patches through which the sea could be seen. The temperature was minus 55 Centigrade.

(—67 Fah.) "We followed the river down to Bremen," he said, "where the cloud was much lighter. We had a perfect view which resembled a long but lumpy leg sticking out towards the sea. Our bombs fell in the middle of the port. There was no fire from anti-aircraft guns, and we saw no fighters. In fact, it was a peaceful Sunday afternoon."

ROAD

Congratulations LONDON, Aug. 31 (British Wireless).—The Prime Minister has addressed to the Air Officer Commanding-in-Chief of the Bomber Command, Air Marshal Sir Richard Peirse, the following tribute to the squadrons of the Bomber Command Group which has been engaged in recent daylight operations:

"The devotion and gallantry of the attacks on Rotterdam and other objectives are beyond all praise. The charge of the Light Brigade at Bulaclava is eclipsed in brightness by these almost daily deeds of fame."

#### Tamerlane's Body Is Exhumed

A Moscow message that the tomb of Tamerlane at Samarkand, where the great conqueror of the fourteenth century lay buried, has been opened

by Russian scientists. The skeleton was found in a wellpreserved condition and is now being examined by water, The skull has been damaged by water. The right leg was shorter than the left, a detall which agrees with tradition. The skeleton lay in an ebony coffin

inside a heavy marble tomb. Heavy broendes with inscriptions in gold thread have also been found. Two sons and grandson of Tamerlane have also been exhumed from their father's tomb. Tamerlane, who died while march-

Syria, Persia, the Caucasus, and Turkey and had invaded India during his lifetime of 26 years.

ing to invade China, had conquered

#### LATE NEWS

#### Exchange At A Glance

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BELLING

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	U.S. Cross rate in London 4.021/2

# Fuhrer

U.S. Cross rate in N.Y. ....

News has just reached London of the strangest religious revival in his-

It is taking place in Germany, where, since the Nazi ideology took root, religious persecution has flowered. But the Nazi leaders are finding that the terror of air raids cannot be overcome without the consolation of religion, and in consequence a number of concessions have been granted to Catholics. -

Reports state that Goering has ordered the lifting of restrictions, on going to church after air raids, and Catholic priests may now go out during an Alert to administer the last sacraments.

Ministry, that further orders will be during raids.

#### Jew-Baiting Relaxed

Some time ago it was stated that Jew-baiting had been relaxed in the Reich with a view to securing muchneeded additions to war workers. The boastful Nazi leaders, it is learned, have found it extremely distusteful to have to admit that their regime has not completely obliterated from the minds of their people the need for something more than adoration of the Fuhrer to sustain them. in the ever-increasing fury of the R.A.F.'s raids.

# Market

The following quotations were issued on the Hongkong Stock Matket this morning. BANKS H.K. Banks \$......1,440 b.

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Penk Trams (old) \$..... 7 sa. Peak Trams (new) \$ ..... 31/4 sa. China Lights (old) \$. .... 6.35 b. China Lights (new) \$.....1.65 b. H.K. Electrics (old) 'x. rts. ..22 sq. H.K. Electrics (new) \$....211/4 sa. H.K. Electrics Rts \$..11.10 b. & sa. equipped with the most modern Macao Electrics \$........131/2 sa. armaments and thoroughly trained, Telephones (old) \$..231/4 b. & sa. Telephones (new) \$......834 b. INDUSTRIALS

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Wm. Powell, Ltd. x.d. ..... 11/2 sq. COTTON MILLS S'hal Cotton Sh. \$..........305 n. great efforts to preserve peace have H.K. Govt 31/2% (1934) .... 90 sar personal interviews with the German H.K. Govi 31/2% (1940) .... 98 n. and British Ambassadors, who also

Marsmans Inv. (H.K.) -s/- 1/6 sa. the German side.

#### PEACE OR WAR DECISION SOON

---> FROM PAGE ONE

Pao" in an editorial regarding the Roosevelt-Nomura talks to-day stated that they were "only a gesture with which the United States expects to win concessions from Britain and Russin during the coming tri-power conference. Under no circumstances will Japan accept a worthless return from five years of the China war in which she has sacrificed Japanese blood for the sake of a co-prosperity sphere. We do not favour such conferences which are likely to alienate Japan from the Axis."

Wang Ching-wel's "Central China Daily News" said; "If negotiations break down, peace in the Pacific by any other means is practically im-

NAZIS HOPE TO

#### CRUSH SOVIET FROM PAGE ONE

pig-iron industry east of the Dnieper will be partly slowed down.

Alternatives It is true that there are other iron ore deposits as alternatives to those at Krivoirog and also electro-power alternatives to the Dnieper hydroelectric plant, but the Red Army's industrial sources are still great so long as the central Russian industrial

area is not affected... It is probable that every conceivable effort will be made by the Russians to safeguard these areas in which the Germans are clearly interested, judging from their recent thrust at Gomel.

Leningrad Considerable importance is also attached to Leningrad, not only from the military and morale point of view but also industrially. The Germans are alming at the capture of Leningrad but as this will prove an extremely arduous task, it is probable that they will be satisfied for the present if they are able to besiege the city and thus curtail the industrial

Even this would not be a fatal Goering has also informed the Ger- blow to the Soviet war production. man Episcopate, through the Church but nevertheless it would be serious. From all this, it is clear that Briissued with a view to fiding priests taln and America must reckon durin carrying out their religious duties ing the coming months with losses and impediments in the Russians' industrial production and it will be to them and especially America to make to make up for it.

#### R.A.F. Raid Tripoli And Destroy Ships

FROM PAGE ONE

tons outside the harbour on fire from the stem to the funnel and two other ships of 5,000 tons each in the harbour burnt out and another alight at two points. Fires at the base of the Karamanli Mole were still burning. Benghazi

"At Benghazi, a low-level attack was made on-a ship at Juliana Mole and a cloud of white smoke was seen after the attack. "Aircraft concentrated on Berka

Aerodiome were machine-gunned. "Aircraft of the Fleet Air Arm bombed store dumps north of Bardia and several fires were started. "During the night of August 29-

30 aircraft-of-the-Fleet-Air-Armbombed Gerbini Aerodromo (Sicily) and carried out a machine-gunning "Other, aircraft of the Fleet Air

Arm located a merchant ship of 8,000 tons escorted by destroyers off Sicily and attacked the convoy. The merchant ship was believed to have been hit by a torpedo.
"Yesterday Blenheim aircraft" of

the R.A.F. bombed the power houses of munition factories of Licata and . obtained a number of direct hits on each target. Clouds of smoke were seen and debris was thrown high I. into the air. Considerable damage was done.

. Abyssinia "In Abyssinia, R.A.F. and South African Air Force aircraft bombed and machine-gunned enemy fortified positions at Deberech on August 29 Raubs \$...... 71/4 n. observed on the forts, huts and "From all these operations, one of

our aircraft is missing."

#### Attack On Turkey Possible

#### FROM PAGE ONE ing doubts as to the capacity of

Turkey to stand up to a military onslaught can now ponder the words of Marshal Chakmak, Chief of Turkish General Stoff, who stated in Ankara: "The Turkish armfles, Sandakan Lights \$...... 1234 sa. are ready to fulfil to the last drop of Government for peace and security. industry under supervision." They have the necessary strength to fulfil their, whole duty."

Marshal Chakmak was replying to marking Victory Day in which the latter said: "If the evident and sincere efforts of the Republican Government do not suffice-if the Turkish Army is called on to do its, duty-I am sure that it will act in such a way as to enhance our pride in its past heroic deeds." Peace Efforts

This is interpreted in an Ankara been made in the post week and it is Ch. Govt 5% 1925 G\$Bds. .. 42 n. saw the Foreign Minister, Mr Sara-

Constructions (old) \$.....1.60 sa. Von Papen's summons to interview Constructions (new) ... 80 cts sa. Hitler is believed in Ankara to Masrmans Inv. (Lon.) s/- 6/8 n. his failure to win over the Turks to

# QUEEN'S & ALHAMBRA

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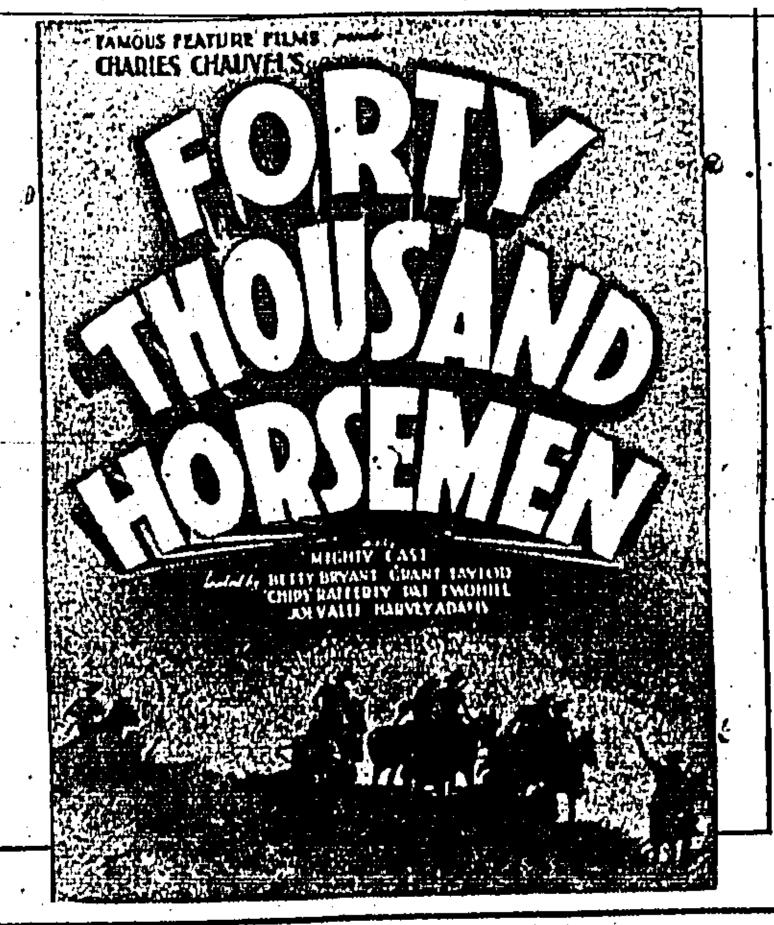


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# Shortage of Man-Power In German Industry

LONDON, Aug. 31 (Reuter).—Fresh evidence of a German labour shortage is revealed in a report that "German workers have been obliged to exchange tools the rifle, and the Jewish their blood any order given by the population of Warsaw will be found suitable work in German

> "as the personnel must be used elsewhere."

A recent decree also shows that on April 1 last. the Germans have been obliged to recruit tubercular patients and have American war production and demurket and is endeavouring in every Belgian workers, from 87.000 to way to solve the problem of labour, 190,000. shortage."

Another journal suggests the Apart from 1,400,000 war prisoners prohibition of smoking in public employed in German agriculture and message from President Incenu, conveyances because it is not industries, about the same number always possible to clean them of civilian workers have been reexcept Turkey, according to an official German statement published

Since then, according to Italian relaxed measures against the spread statistics, the number of Italian of infectious diseases in factories, workers in Germany has been Faced with the mounting threat or doubled and now approaches 300,000. The German Minister of Labour' liverles. Germany, according to the announced that Dutch workers in Reich Trade Commissioner, has be- Germany have increased from 91,000 come "the world's largest labour on April 1 last to 223,000 to-day, and

The system whereby these workers are drawn from the various countries The following figures show how is officially described as "voluntary."

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## Strength of Anglo-Soviet Alliance Re-Emphasised

LONDON, Aug. 31 (Reuter).—"We will fight to the end until Hitlerite Germany is utterly and completely crushed," said M. Ivan Maisky, Soviet Ambassador, speaking to-day.

"My people are fighting heroically and with the greatest determination. They are building no half-way course." Declaring that his people had not the slightest doubt of the final issue, M. Maisky asked, "But what of the price?"

ed many losses and sacrifices in men, material and territory with the possibility of future losses and sacrifices. But everyone of them knows and everyone here knows that the closest possible military, economic and political co-operation between the peoples of Britain and the Soviet Union is the way to reduce those sacrifices to as low a level as possible."

# CHANNEL ALIVE WITH PLANES

R.A.F. Sweeps Over France

Channel to-day was alive with bombers and fighters of the R.A.F. who were staging one of the biggest shows for days, in which at least three major sweeps were made over the Continent | separate battles.

#### ATTACK ON TURKEY POSSIBLE

#### Reported German Preparations

Sea thrust and the readiness of some flying so high they could only her possible victim Turkey, to Experienced observers agreed that meet any challenge.

few miles from blacked-out Europe blazing lights to-night in LONDON, Aug. 31 (Reuter). celebration of Victory Day, During the day the R.A.F. has carried marking the anniversary of the out a series of operations over the ago, and the buildings of all large towns festooned with flags ing came from Moscow that Hitler is preparing a "treacherous attack" on Turkey and in the Lille area, on a German that to this end, he had stationed aerodrome at Lannion in Brittany, four divisions on the Turkish on railway communications at several . frontier.

Supplementing this are reports from Istanbul that Nazi officers are studying Turkish terrain and instructing troops on the methods of "possing over natural borders."

Further German forces are said timating that in the near future Germany intends to bring the number of her troops on the Turkish border to 300,000.

#### Army's Defiance

But there is another side to the picture. Those who had any lingering doubts as to the capacity of Turkey to stand up to a military onslaught can now ponder the words Turkish General Staff, who stated in favourable weather did not prevent enemy lines which reviewed the first Ankarn: "The Turkish armies. equipped with the most modern armaments and thoroughly trained, are ready to fulfil to the last drop of their blood any order given by the Government for peace and security. They have the necessary strength to fulfil their whole duty."

Marshal Chakmak was replying to message from President Incenu, marking Victory Day in which the latter said: "If the evident and sincere efforts of the Republican Government do not suffice-if the Turkish A. my is called on to do its duty-I am sure that it will act in the R.A.F. carried out heavy raids on Tripoli during the night such a way as to enhance our pride of August 29-30," says to-night's R.A.F. communique from the Middle East. "Some 25 tons of bombs were dropped and at the

#### .Peace Efforts

This is interpreted in an Ankara disputch via Vichy to indicate that great efforts to preserve peace have been made in the past week and it is recalled that President Incenu had and the other of 5,000 tons, were great distance rose hundreds of feet personal interviews with the German hit and set on fire. One of these into the air. The first spread along and British Ambassadors, who also vessels was later seen to be the Mole to a petrol depot where an saw the Foreign Minister, Mr Sara-

Some time later a small ship "Other small fires were observed Von Papen's summons to interview Hitler is believed in Ankara to exploded. presage his replacement because of "Hits were also scored on another "Reconnaissance" on the following his failure to win over the Turks to medium-sized ship, which sub- day showed a merchantman of 8,000 sequently started burning. TURN to Back Page, Column 5 the German side.

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He went on: "The Soviet people have already sustain-

Special to the "Telegraph"

and Northern France in what virtually a "shuttle service" ever

since breakfast time. Spitfires and Hurricanes seemed to be everywhere up and down the Channel, many skipflew high above them.

preparations for the next Black others took a southerly direction be seen dimly,

this was one of the heaviest R.A.F. With Turkish cities only a daylight sweeps during the war.

Official Communique

defeat of the Greeks 19 years Channel and northern France on a considerable scale, says a com-Several fighter sweeps were made

and streamers, a sombre warn- and our fighters also escorted Blenheim bombers which attacked lost 1,200 ensualties. targets in occupied territory. Bombs were dropped on industrial targets points and on shipbuilding yards at le Trait near Rouen.

experienced and there were few

One enemy fighter was destroyed. A Flying Fortress on reconnaissance this afternoon bombed objectives at to be moving up to the border region, Bremen. Our losses in all these operations were two fighters.

Feeble Reply

During the week ending at dawn to- face of the earth." day, exceptionally light German air activity was seen over Britain. The enemy lost three bombers. There were no British losses. .

same week has been the R.A.F.'s Slovak armies to overthrow Hitler, continuous day and night activity, give up the fight and join the Red Last night-when especially un- array. Leaflets were dropped on the raids on Cherbourg and the Dutch world war in which twenty million coast—was the only night on which soldiers were killed and led to popu-TURN to Back Page, Column 3 TURN to Back Page, Column 5

-rising into the air.

R.A.F. Raid Tripoli

CAIRO, Aug. 31 (Reuter).—"The Bomber Command of

end of the bombing, the whole of the Spanish Quay was on fire

with great clouds of black smoke—apparently from an oil store

ablaze from stem to stern, explosion took place followed by

"Two ships, one of 8,000 tons manli Mole and from one of them,

# Germans Suffering Huge Casualties Special to the "Telegraph"

assaults are reported to be stemming the German tide on all fronts as Soviet officials to-day boasted that Russian resistance has already turned Hitler's plans of conquest into an "ignominious fiasco."

huge casualties on the Germans in fierce fighting from FOLKESTONE, Aug. 31 (UP).—The skies over the the Arctic circles to the Black Sea. Nearly 10,000

> As the titanic battle of Russia entered its eleventh week the newspaper "Izvestia" predicted a "complete collapse" of Hitler's original plan, when he sent his ping the rooftops and zooming armies smashing into Poland two years ago to-morrow across the cliffs while bombers starting the second world war within a generation.

Izvestia said that one of the, Rumblings from occupied France indicated heavy bombing. The first flight was heard at breakfast time. Another big flight of bombers and fighters were seen by citizens on the south const who were returning from the south const who were seen by citizens on the south const ANKARA, Aug. 31 (Reuter).

As the war drama gathers momentum in Eastern Europe, two new aspects of the situation confront observers—Germany's preparations for the next Black

Inginers were seen by citizens on the south coast who were returning from church. It is believed that a third flight will be made this afternoon. Some of the planes headed for the French coast while others flew in the direction of Belgium. This afternoon is flights headed due cast and preparations for the next Black others took a southerly direction.

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> Arctic Circle Fighting MOSCOW, Aug. 31 (UP).-The Front for the newspaper "Izvestin," General Bach arrived in a flying boat north of Leningrad. Russians had repeatedly repulsed attacks on the city of "N." In the shilov, Commander of the Rustacks of and assumed command after the

Kiev Reports Little opposition from fighters was special announcement saying, "The Russo-Finnish frontier behind a Fascists report that Klev has been shorter 200-miles bulwark of the taken and are describing the cere-|Stalin Line, Representatives of the Popular The retreat is more of political Guards, Destruction Battalions and ed measures to strengthen defences of a separate Russo-Finnish peace. and passed a resolution saying.

Budenny's Appeal MOSCOW, Aug. 31 (UP) .-- Marshal Budenny to-day appealed to the The most significant feature of the German, Rumanian, Hungarian and

Three fires broke out on Kara-

flames which were visible from a

on the quayside and loading wharves.

#### Karelian Isthmus Evacuated

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

LONDON, Aug. 31 (UP).special correspondent on the Arctic The Stockholm correspondent of Front for the newspaper "Izvestin," The "Daily Telegraph" reported Playwright Nicolai Virta, to-day reported former-fighting—in-the-Arctic to-night-that-the-Russians-have Oil—Supply—In-the-Arctic to-night-that-the-Russians Inthing circle by General Bach's division. evacuated the Karelian Isthmus

than military significance in view of Wemen's auxiliaries to-day consider- the growing rumours of possibility Far East, It is believed, that the Russian i "Kiev is, and will remain Soviet, withdrawal to the old frontier indi-LONDON, Aug. 31 (Reuter).— The Faselsts will be wiped off the cates Moscow's willingness to abide by a peaceful settlement.

LATEST

# RUSSIANS TOTALE OF TARRETARIAN TO THE PARTY OF THE PA

MOSCOW, Aug. 31 (UP). — The Russian

Dispatches reported that the Red army is inflicting casualties have been suffered by the Nazis in three

gion amongst the huge boulders and tor, has abandoned practically impenetrable forests, the Germans without resistance the mighty chain of fortifications in the lakes and forests stretching MOSCOW, Aug. 31 (UP).—An from Taipale on Lake Ladoga to uproaringly yesterday when at a the island fortress of Koivisto meeting in a local theatre, Brigade on the Finnish Gulf, withdraw-Commissar Borls Mikienilov read a ing his forces across from the

## British Women At War Work

women are increasingly being drafted into the factories to help in British war effort. This picture shows girls "manning" machines for producing parts for antitank guns at a Ministry of Supply factory.



# Peace Or War In The Pacific, Decision Expected Very Soon

SHANGHAI, Aug. 31 (UP).—Japan is facing the most critical period since she signed. the tripartite alliance, and the results of the current Japanese-American conversations may determine for the Konoye Government the possibility of whether there shall be war or peace in

Latest Anti-Japan Measure SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

the United States in the Far East when he opened a new oil It was stated that the German 24, a British submarine atsupply line to the Philippines for officials in Tokyo frankly admit that tacked an Italian squadron of

Under the unlimited emer- optimism. gency powers, the President revoked the 37 year old prohibition against the shipment of gasoline, fuel oil and other lubricants to the Philippines in vessels of foreign registry.

Will Relieve Pressure.

He did not explain what foreign East Indies to establish an all important supply line for petroleum from the south to the United States army in the Far East. The establishment of such supply lines from the \_With petroleum on the eastern seaboard already critically short due to the transfer of tankers to Britain, leck, nowever, mas arready exthe United States could not afford to pressed his confidence of the shown on all sides. From a military to establish a supply line immediate- this area from America.

revise existing agreements which are constant in the personal content which are tent night bombing of the Suez Canal In Iraq the situation is stabilised. In Iraq the situation is stabilised. The new Government formed by the content of the personal content in the personal in Iraq the situation is stabilised. See Back Page For . Further Late, Nows.

the Pacific. This was the unanimous! opinion expressed to-day by the first American arrivals from Japan since the furore created by the charges that the Japanese were detaining Americans as Dramatic Work By A hostages. The arrivals included members of the Consulate staff on home leave to the United States as well as army and navy

language officers. confronted with the gravest economic sank four enemy supply ships HYDE PARK, Aug. 31 (UP). difficulties as a result of the freezing and damaged two others in re--President Roosevelt to-day and the embargo, while the more again strengthened the hand of radical elements are clamouring for range. swift action to break the economic ranean. and military encirclement forcibly. the United States forces in the Japan may be at the turning point three six-inch cruisers escorted

#### Rapprochement Possible

Embassy believed that there is a possibility of a Japanese-American attack, rapprochement at present which will quieten the Pacific situation tem-As in previous actions in the porarily; however, they are not "economic warfare" against Japan, optimistic whether any long range the President permitted the disclosure agreement to which the Japanese It is learned that Colonel Loyatof the oil shipment move without would adhere could be possible in Fraser, former British Military comment, but it appeared certain that view of the fact that Japan is com- Attache, who is at present in India, TURN to Back Page, Column 3 the British Embassy here.

# Four Enemy

British Submarine SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" LONDON, Aug. 31 (UP) An Admiralty communique

They said that the Japanese are states that a British submarine

German circles are not showing any by six destroyers and, flying A strong - enemy counter-

Members of the United States from observing the results of the attack prevented the submarine

CHUNGKING, Aug. 31 (Reuter) it was designed to exert a steadily mitted to an expanding empire policy will shortly come to Chungking to increasing economic pressure against which is incompatible with the join the Military Attache's office of

# the did not explain want toreign flag ships might henceforth carry lubricants for the United States forces in the Philippines, but the order in the Philippines, but the order Dutch Dutch

KARACHI, Aug. 31 (Reuter) .- There may soon be a tough Dutch East Indies to the Philippines light in the Western Desert where the Germans have been would relieve some of the pressure making preparations in the past few months, says "Reuter's" correspondent who has just returned from the Middle East.

General-Sir Claude Auchin-1

empowered to make contracts and about this is evident in their persis-

Syria nage to supply the Philippines army positions, and the most en-standpoint, the position in Syria is from the United States to Manila couraging feature is the ever- very satisfactory and the moral and Cavite, so the move is designed increasing flow of supplies to effect to the Turks caused by the establishment of a frontier with the Allled forces for a distance of nearly Department commanders have been That the Germans are uneasy 500 miles must be considerable.

organise the arrival of supplies. TURN to Back Page, Column 5

By Walt Disney

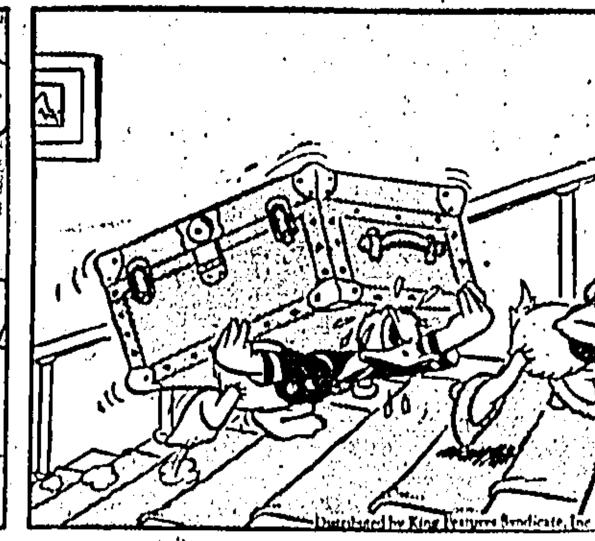
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He added that Hitler had made the mistake of turning against Russia whose resistance so far was far stronger than he had believed. Mr Attlee emphasised that the people of Britain were engaged in a fight in Upper Albert Road from which everybody had to go all out and any relaxation, even if only for a short time, might make the Road; Garden Road from difference in the course of the fight.

·"We want to free ordinary men and women from the haunting fear that some time or the other they are lgoing to have their homes and vehicular traffic during the families attacked" said Mr Attlee. "We want to free men and women from the fear that they may be doprived of the opportunity of earning which is of approximately 5 their living, and we want to prevent ngain the folly of a world of potential plenty starving itself and suffering under the fever of militarism that

# Blitzed Press

CHUNGKING, Aug. 31 (Central No parking of vehicles will News) .- During the Japanese bombing of Chungking this afternoon, both the editorial and printing departments of "Yi Shih Pao," wellknown Chinese Catholic paper formerly published in Tientsin, received several direct hits and were completely wrecked. Fortunately, all the staff members and workers C. Connaught Road between took shelter in advance and escaped

Bishop Paul Yupin, Chairman of Sd. J. P. PENNEFATHER-EVANS, the Board of Directors of the paper, declared that despite the bombing, the paper will never cease publication. The paper had a history of 26 years combating Japanese aggression.

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The resolution, after making reference to the fortitude of the British people and welcoming the Atlantic conference, refers at length to Russia. The Congress is asked to support the General Council's decision to offer organised collaboration with the Russian movement and endorse the proposal that an Anglo-Russian Council with an equal number of representatives from each side be formed. Conditions

The resolution also provides for regular meetings, exchange of views and opinions upon problems with which Trade Unions in each country have to deal and accord opportunities for an Anglo-Soviet Council to cooperate on matters of common con-

An important proviso is that there shall be no interference on questions responsibility of each body.

#### SUMITA LEAVES INDO-CHINA

HANOI, Sept. 1 (Domei).—Con- Anne's Day which is commemorated cluding his 11-month stay in Indo- by all Bretons. Major-General Raishiro Sumita, Chairman of the Japanese kind in Britain. Military Mission to French Indospeckil military plane yesterday.

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## Budenny Addresses Enemies

MOSCOW, Aug. 31 (Reuter).-"Come over to us," says an appeal published to-day in German language by Marshal Budenny-who commands the Soviet forces in Southern Ukraine—addressed to German Rumonian, Hungarian and Slovak troops and officers.

The appeal refers to the first world war in which "millions of your brothers and fathers were sent to death and destruction by German and Austro-Hungarian imperialism' and adds: "Act as you acted in the time of the first war-turn your weapons against those who drive you to death."

Marshal Budenny adds that a lie is being spread that the Red Army kills prisoners of war and promises "We guarantee you your life, good treatment and speedy return to your homeland." . \_\_\_\_

#### Concentrations Of Italian Troops MOSCOW, Aug. 31 (Reuter),-

Prominence is given in the Soviet press to a report date-lined Geneva stating that according to information received there, Italian troops are being concentrated on the Greco-Turkish and Bulgaro-Turkish fron-

#### Laval And Deat **Improving**

There is a decided improvement in the condition of Laval and Marcel Deat, says a Paris message. It was the first ceremony of its | Laval's temperature is falling and the bullet in his body is becoming Each ship carries a flag presented enclosed in a spot that is not dan-

#### FEXED DEPOSITS received for One Year or shorter periods in Local or Other Currencles at rates which will be quoted on application. SAVINGS ACCOUNTS also opened in Local Currency and Sterling with interest

# LONDON, Aug. 31 (Reuter) .-

China, left Hanol for Tokyo by a by the Association of Bretons in the gerous. Deat it is considered, may be out of danger.

The Printed Matter Service to the following places in China is temporarily suspended:—Yunnan, Szo-Nine of these Blenheim Bombers huen, Kwelchow, Hunan, Fuklen except Amoy and Kulangsu), Kwangsi, North and East of \understang.

nan the addressee.

Small Packet Post to all countries

s suspended. INWARD AIR MAILS

Mr-Mall-by -"Pan-American-Airways -Direct Service"-San Francisco date, 4th September ..... Sept. 11. Air Mail by 'Pan American Airways Direct Service"-San Francisco date, 16th September ... Sept. 23.

OUTWARD AIR MAILS Monday, Sept. 1 Air Mail by Air to Rangoon to connect with the 'British Overseas

Alrayays." K.P.O. and G.P.O. Reg. ..... Sept., 1, 4 p.m. Ord. ..... Sept., 1, 4.30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 5

Air Mail by Air to Rangoon to connect with the "British Overseas Alrways" K.P.Or-and G.P.O. Reg. ..... Sept. 5, 4.00 p.m. Ord. ..... Sept. 5, 4.30 p.m.

Air Mail for Manila, Guam, Honolulu, U.S.A. and Europe via "Pan-American Airways and Trans-Atlantic Services." **К.Р.О.** Reg. .........Sept. 11, 5 p.m. Ord. .....Sept. 11, 5.30 p.m.

Thursday, Sept. 11

**G.P.O.** Reg. ..... Sept. 11, 5 p.m. Ord. ..... Sept. 11, 7 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 23 Air Mail for Manila, Guam, Honolulu,

U.S.A. and Europe via "Pan-American Alrways and Trans-Atlantic Services." Reg. ..... Sept. 23, 5 p.m.

Ord. ...... Sept. 23, 5.30 p.m. **G.P.O.**. Reg. ..... Sept. 23, 5 p.m. Ord. ..... Sept. 23, 7 p.m.

# St. Dunstan's

Needs Your Help

... for the curtain of lifelong darkness has fallen: but there also is hope, for they are learning to be blind, and soon will go out into the world useful, confident and happy citizens."

> (Sir Ian Fraser-Chairman of St. Dunstan's.)

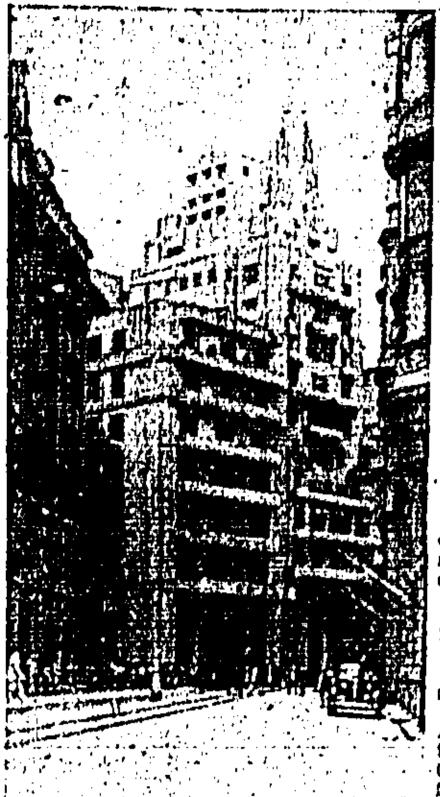
Send your donation to

gt Vunstan's, Hon. Treasurer, British War Organisation Fund.
c/o Honga ong de Shanghal
Banking Corp.

H.K.'S BOMBER SQUADRON Required £24,000

August 30

Hollanders Celebrate. The birth-



August 24

carried out, when they more than lived invaluable."

cylinder engines with an R.A.C. rating a pound yesterday. Pork chops are, next month, of 76.8 h.p., developing 240 brake b.p. however, \$1.25 a pound.

Three ships not troubled by any hill in the Colony, and oranges are cheaper.

With its powerful siren clearing nones being 84 cents a dozen. way through the traffic on Saturday. Prices ruling yesterday, with those may be had on application to the one of the machines went from the of August 16 in brackets, were: Central Fire Station to the waterfront near the China Fleet Club, where hoses were connected, and the pumping qualities tested.

Senting accommodation is provided for four other persons besides the driver in the cab of the fire engine, while there is standing room for four or more firemen at the rear. For night driving, the siren works automatically with a flashed warning lamp which is mounted on the bonnet.

Praya up to the higher levels. They official reply from London to inquiries are each provided with six inch suc- made by the sponsors of the Bomber tion hoses. The swivelled monitor is Fund. detachable and can be operated on a fire float. Each machine also carries a 100 gallon tank with emergency hose, dron will bear the name of Hongkong so that the firemen can throw water has stimulated donations for some time immediately on reaching the scene.

supervision of Mr J. C. Fitz Henry, raise the cost of the squadron. Supervision of Mr J. C. Fitz Henry, fast the Colony. This was indicated officially ment and people of Hongkong, Mr E. F. Brown, mechanical engineer, patched to the Minister for Aircraft May reached the 200 yard mark in 2 the wardrobe a bag and was about to-day, when it was revealed that add my personal thanks.

gines will be stationed at the Central quired to purchase Hongkong's Bomber Fire Station, one in Wanchal, and the Squadron." other in Kowloon.

of them for allegedly going out of medium Bomber Squadron, probably year's boys record by 2% secs, turn in carrying clubs for members. bers of the Club giving caddies "cum- quire a further £28,100, making the shaw" after rounds—a practice which required total of £180,000." is strictly against the rules. On Friday, two members, well-known for giving substantial "cumshaw" at the Subscriptions to the Fund have enend of their play, arrived at the Club abled the S. C. M. Post Ltd, to remit and two of the old caddles went out £151,939-19-6 to the British Governof turn in order to carry for them, ment. The Fund has in hand just over 1940. . This was objected to by some of the £4,000 towards the next instalment, newer and younger, caddles. The two leaving a balance of approximately culprits were discharged on the spot, £24,000 needed to make up the reand at their agitation the rest of the guired sum. enddies went on strike.

had been settled, the caddles returning is hoped that every section of the to their duties on Saturday. Old Site Transformed. Used for the last 30 or more years by stallholders for the sole purpose of selling fruits. Governor received a telegram from the triangular piece, of land in the Secretary of State for the Colonies, PUBLIC MEETING centre of Bonham Strand, close to the Secretary of State for the Colonies, old Western Market, is now to be the flow of contributions from subscribers site of a two-storey public latrine, of the South China Morning Post Construction work is well under way Bomber Fund. His Excellency also reand the whole structure will be completed in approximately three months. Inquiries revealed that the majority Brabazon, Minister for Aircraft Proof the fruit stall owners have either duction, who also conveyed grateful sought sites elsewhere or have closed thanks, expressing the hope that the

It was maintained that old customers squadron will go into service to bear would hardly be inconvenienced by the witness to the generosity of the outdisappearance of the stalls as there post of the Empire whose name it will were others in the Western Market bear." which is close by. On the other hand. Swimming Championships. it was pointed out that the demolition European Y.M.C.A. Swimming Chamof the stalls would go some way in plouships began this evening when two relieving the congestion of traffic pro- new-records were established and one ceeding to and from the busy centre eight-year-old mark was equalled.
of Nam Pak Hong. The fruit "market" E. A. Roberts caused the biggst uphas for many years been something of set of the evening when he beat B. S.

Defence Reserve. The following championship in the new time of 78% persons have been allowed to quit the sees, to lower Wilson's former time by Hongkong Defence Reserve: Mr G. F. Gilbert, with effect from last year's time. F. Willis, who has August 15; Mr C. R. Wilson, with effect had little practice this season, was from August 15; and Mr F. Ellis, with third, a long way behind. effect from August 20.

have been re-asigned from the Com- men's 220 yards free-style championbatant Group to the Key-Posts Group ship which May won in 2 mins 43% in the Hongkong Defence Reserve. sees, equalling the record established District Officer North. Mr John by H. G. (Bert) Lange in 1933. There Barrow, District Officer, North, Hong- was little in the race after the first kong, is appointed Commissioner to administer onths and take declarations, mirmations and attestations of honour in connection with the succession to property on death within the Northern District of the New Territories so long os he shall continue to act as District

Officer North. Government House. The movement under Government House has slowed down very considerably, repairs have been completed and the house is now entirely habitable. The movement was caused by the construction of air raid tunnels under the grounds and House. Regular and frequent inspections are being carried out in case of movements likely to cause further damage.

Bomber Fund's \$2,500,000. Shortly before noon on Saturday, the Bomber passed the \$2,500,000 mark, thanks to a number of splendid donawhich amounted to \$7,981.70. received during the short space of two-

and-a-half hours. The Fellowship of the Bellows gave the Fund its biggest push by sending in its eighth donation of \$5,000, warded a third donation of \$1,000, Mr and Mrs Petro a second donation of \$500, while the monthly contribution

Sir Atholl and Lady MacGregor forfrom the Chinese Staff of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown" Co., Ltd., amounting to \$569, was re-

At noon, the Fund reached the total

of \$2,501,418.00.

Hongkong News of the Week

HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

Page For The Evacuees

## Monday

August 25

Day of Heavy Rain. With a rainfail. of 3.545 inches for the 23 hours ending nt 11 p.m., to-day was the wettest day of the month.

Some rain fell shortly after midnight, but there were only intermittent drizzies until shortly before noon when a heavy downpour began and continued until late in the evening. This month has been rather dry for .

rainfall for Sunday was half an inch. circles to-day, The Bomber Fund. The following telegram, dated August 21, has been steamers which were delivered to the received from the Secretary of State for the Colonies by His Excellency the

up to their reputation for speed and Cost of Living. Only slight changes of a number of people, and inperformance in road and pumping in the prices of foodstuffs took place convenience to others. during the past ten days. Beef remains. The situation would appear to be at Central Magistracy to-day, in a but one member of the Committee, items. The four engines, which arrived in at 60 cents a pound, but pork is down much improved now, with an increased the Colony a few days ago, have 12- by five cents, being quoted at 85 cents number of American ships calling here

Pork .85 cts a pound; chops \$1.25 a pound (.90 cts).

Beef .80 cts a pound (.80 cts). Chicken \$1.80 a catty (\$1.60). Eggs ,64 ets a dozen (.82 ets). Pointoes O cis a pound (.10 cis). Onfons .8 cts a pound (.8 cts). Brinjal .15 cts a pound (.18 cts). Tomntoes .32 cts n pound (.30 cts). Oranites .17 ets each (.18 ets). Apples .40 ets red, .25 ets green (.60

More U.S. Ships For Pacific. The August, although early in the month dislocation of passenger traffic there were promises to the contrary, schedules and shortage of accom-On August 3 over two inches of rain modation resulting from the requisifell and more than one and half inches tioning of American ships by the on August 4, but there have been very American Government, has been slightfew heavy downpours since. The jy alleviated, it was stated in shipping

Of the seven President Lines United States Maritime Commission on completion of their voyages some time ago, it is understood that three of the "Following from Colonel Moore ships are now to remain in the service Brabazon.-Latest £0,000 from South of the American President Lines for New Fire Engines. Tests of the China Morning Post War Fund grate- the time being on a trip to trip basis, American La France fire engines-the fully acknowledged. Please convey Apart from requisitioning, the demost modern and powerful machines my deep appreciation. Such generous cision of the Japanese shipping comof this type in the Far East-were help to our united war effort panies not to allow their ships to call here has also resulted in the stranding

of 70.8 h.p., developing 240 brake h.p. Wegetables, though not plentiful sident Lines are expected to leave the British Embassy at Chingking. is very fast and easy to handle. It is show little change in price. Apples Hongkong for the United States. The Top speed is said to be more than 60 Chicken is \$1.80 a catty, which is first week in September, another about Chicken is \$1.80 a carry, which is just week in September, another about ed, was convicted on two counts of 20 cents higher than last week. Eggs the middle of the month, and the third ed, was convicted on two counts of Mr R. J. Banks was elected Chairinformation regarding these sailings American President Lines, Limited.

Luesday

August 26

only to subscribe another \$384,000 and bomber squadron, bearing the . Principally these engines are to be Colony's name, will go into operation used to pump salt water from the against the Nazls. This revealed in an

past and the S. C. M. Post, Ltd, recently received a number of inquiries . The tests were carried out under the as to how much money is required to

It is understood that two of the en- cable how much more money is re- sees.

To enable us to do so we should re-

The Balance Required

In local currency therefore, appro-It was learned to-day that the strike ximately \$384,000 is still required. Colony will do its utmost to help towards such a worthy goal. On July 16, 1941, His Excellency the ceived another telegram on the same day from Lieut. Colonel Moore day was not far distant when "a

> Wilson in the 100 yards backstroke two seconds. Wilson clocked 80% secs.

A. F. May had stiff opposition from Mr B. D. Evans and Mr T. L. Bell L. A. Benn and D. Hutchinson in the

Hongkong Bombers. Hongkong has pace, tired quickly and dropped be-

The last 20 yards provided a thritwas beaten by two seconds by May, 114 The Peak. who lowered last year's time (Benn's)

and Benn at 33. May reduced his arjears over the next 50 yards and he and Hutchinson reached the 100 yards mark in 66 with Benn at 69. May forged ahead at the 150 yard mark

Friday, following the dismissal of two modilines Boundary Constraints are a clock 28 sees and so lower his last ladder. Colony's Trade. According to an

by the Superintendent of Imports and admitted that the articles found in chandlse as declared during the month property. of July, 1941, totalled \$119.9 millions

visible trade of the Colony increased culprit. All the articles stolen from short illness. by 0.8 per cent. in July, 1941 as com- Lady Blackburn were thrown into





on August 28 when the old committee received a vote of non-confidence was the meeting with the meeting without presented with the Thitad States. and a new committee was formed. These pictures taken at the meeting judice to the exercise of his powers by Canada while in the United States. The man have been one of the contributed but except for the shock, received show (top) Mr C. E. Terry, the chairman, making his speech, and be the Director of Supply, as he may Lady Northcote Interviewed. "The couses to the decrease of arrivals from " low part of the big assembly who heard some outspoken speeches.

Review Of The PrincipalTopics

Aug 24

To Aug 30

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August 27

Peak Burglaries. A girl was gagged

Ybarra, children's nurse, and (b) 100 yards, but at the completion of 150 two bangles, one gold finger ring, one will be announced. carved jade slip, valued at \$104, the Messrs J. Shepherd, S. Simpson, F. F. tion:

went to sleep again.

when he clocked I min 45 sees to Hut- of a wardrobe opening. She had a war savings certificates in the the gift of £1,000 from the Govern-Production reading as follows: "Please mins 28 sees and Benn at 2 mins 33 to scream when Defendant seeing the Secretary of State for the It will be recalled that this gift The absence of R. Larsen and N. a piece of cloth. Defendant ran to of making them available to the Council as a token of appreciation The following reply was received McQueen fobbed the boys' 50 yards the window and escaped. The house Hongkong public, free-style event of its competitive was broken into through a window free-style event of its competitive was proken into through a window Caddles on Strike. Caddles at the vesterday:

Caddles on Strike. Caddles at the vesterday:

"From Ministry of Aircraft Produc- flavour, but Saunders swam unpaced which was reached by means of a competitive of a strike on the control of t

> official report released for publication Indian watchman at Hill Crest and Exports the combined values of the his pessession were stolen. Miss Colony's imports and exports of mer- Ybarra recognised the articles as her

morning. As a result of inquiries Kowloon Tong, occurred at St Teresa's In terms of local currency the total made Defendant was found to be the Hospital on Friday morning after a I was," she explained, "the blaze of pared with July, 1940; and decreased the harbour by Defendant since they The late Mr Tsang was the first TO the people of Hongkong Lady by 1.4 per cent, in terms of sterling. could not be disposed of except the resident to settle down in Kowloon Northcote sends a personal message. spectacles which were pawned for Tong district. 20 cents.

Defendant was sentenced to four About 16 years ago Mr Tsang settled them, carrying on and making the best has already been in existence for count and three months on the before it became a residential district, of things. It was difficult, she said, to more than formal than formal the research the months on the before it became a residential district. second, the sentences to run concur- They found the place very agreeable explain to anyone in a place that had more than four centuries." for deportation.

N. Anderson at Central Magistracy to- Ploneer Family Store, because the Hongkong. day when Ah Hui of 27 Tang Lung

Complainant, examined by Mr Silva, ager of Dennis and Company, stated that he had been employed by

ing that it was his master's business and ly stopped by the arrival of Complainant's mistress on the scene.

ember I.

Metals Controller. It is learned that England Trustees): Miss W. Robinson, 2,300); June 9-15, 13,300 (10,600 500, the house and grounds, causing con-H.E. the Governor has appointed Mr Mr E. W. Sharp, Mr R. Dormer, Mr T. 2,200); June 10-22, 13,700 (10,200, 1,300, the house and grounds, causing con-B. J. Lacon, M.I.MECHE., to be Metals J. Gould, representing the Church 2,200); June 23-29, 13,800 (10,500, 900 siderable damage to the garden and Controller, with effect from August 20, Council. 1,000); July 1-6, 11,700 (8,700, 800, plants. and that as from Monday, September 1,. the licensing of metals will be transferred from the office of the Controller of Trade to that of the Metals Controller, at Holland House, 1st floor.

Thursday

August 28

a mass meeting of Hongkong's within a few weeks. bachelor-husbands to-day, the Evacuntion Representation Committee

The Peninsula Hotel Rose Room was crowded for the meeting, which against the Committee.

those allegations, which, in the words special "Savings Week." Individual members.

Yang Chang-tang, 24, unemploy-was sent through the Governor.

two pairs of sunglasses, one aliver the Governor to-day describing the resary and one resary, valued at adverse effects of the evacuation Committee in lieu of the prizes the Netherlands, a relationship which \$56.95, the property of Miss G, order and urging its immediate res-donated, and the sum of \$554 received

Another public meeting will be the Bomber Fund. rosary bead bracelet, one gold cross, of the interview with the Governor of telegrams between His Excellency

Taylor (Acting Hon. Secretary).

Taylor as hon, secretary, Sometime later she was again expected that shortly Hongkong nor, Hongkong, date August 26 .- The awakened by the sound of the door residents will be able to purchase people of Malta warmly appreciate that she was awake, gagged her with Colonies had approved of the idea was approved by the Legislative

Husbands' Protest Meeting. Con- pected the Bill will be ready for prefronted with a no confidence vote at sentation to the Legislative Council

It is presumed that war savings resigned in a body and was replaced certificates will be purchasable from by a new committee.

Post Offices, banks and other nuthorised centres.

Schools will probably be encourwas the outcome of Mr W. V. Tay- aged to assist the war effort by buyfor's published announcement of his ing these certificates, as they are in decision to resign from the post of England. There a weekly contribu-Acting Honorary Secretary. He an- tion of usually sixpence is made by nounced that decision in a letter to a child and when the required the S. C. M. Post on August 20 in amount has been subscribed, he rewhich he made certain allegations ceives his certificate. These are interest-bearing. Business houses also day, which fell yesterday, of Her organise drives in England for the Majesty Queen Wilhelmina of the At to-day's meeting he amplified sale of certificates, and towns hold a Netherlands, was fervently celebrated

of the Committee Chalrman, Mr C. E. Raffle Prizes Unclaimed. At a by the Netherlands community in Terry, carried an accusation of "bad meeting of the Hongkong War Effort Hongkong this evening, when a refaith" against the Committee and its Committee held on Wednesday night, a report was received from Messrs ception was held in honour of the by a burglar who entered her bedroom at 115 The Peak, according to a and was supported in his deniets by Linstead & Davis, supervisors of the Queen's birthday at the residence of and was supported in his denials by prizes. These amount to approxi- Consul-General in Hongkong for the

case which also concerned the theft Mr J. Shepherd, supported Mr The majority of the prizes, which number of American strips caring here of several articles belonging to Lady Taylor's complaint in respect to a include silverware, wines and spirits, the Consul-General during the day, Three ships of the American Pre- Blackburn, wife of the Counsellor to letter to the Colonial Secretary, open orders on local firms to the the Consul-General during the day, which, it was stated, had not been value of \$100 each, watches, jewel- as customary in peace time, but shown to all the members before it lery etc., are now in the possession Netherlanders attending the reception cents many many real time invariant the end of the month. Further (a) breaking into No. 115 The Peak man of the new Committee, with Mr. portunities occur, the prizes will be portunity to reaffirm their loyalty to

from these sources is being paid to ...

the Governor of Hongkong and His yards Hutchinson, who had set the silver expanding neckince, one Members of the Committee present Excellency the Governor of Malta imitation pearl necklace and one were Mr C. E. Terry (Chairman), are published for general informa-Duckworth, J. N. Sweeney, A. C. From Governor, Hongkong, to

A contribution of £1,000 is being It was stated that about 4.20 a.m. The new committee elected com- made to the Malta Relief Fund on August 24 Miss Ybarra was sud- prises Messrs, J. Shepherd, N. Nick- through the Crown Agents for the Hutchinson was first to complete the deply awakened by some noise in son, W. G. McKie, Capt. W. E. Kirby, Colonies, London, as a gift from the The knowledge that a bomber squa- 50 yards in 30 sees with May at 321/8 her bedroom but seeing nothing, she V. D. Gage and Jarvis, with Mr W. V. Government and people of this

First Resident of Kowloon Tong course of an interview which she (£7.3 millions) as compared with Lady Blackburn discovered the Augustine Tsang Yew-pan, of the have been for 15 months or more in \$110.0 millions (£7.4 millions) in July, theft of her property the following Pioneer Store, No. 7 Stafford Road, continuous, and complete, black-outs, as

grateful for the many kindnesses shown Born in Kwangtung province 57 years her; she regrets her imminent drepar-Defendant was once employed as States where he stayed for seven years, ture from the Colony, but offers her a house coolie at No. 114 The Peak His marriage to Miss Ma King-sinn, an good wishes for the future of its but on July '19 he was dismissed artist, took place in 1910. Prior to the people. when he was convicted on a charge of opening of the Pioneer Family Store. larceny of clothing from his em- he was a broker dealing with the sale. Discussing the morale of the people of cinema films in Canton. nt Home. Lady Northcote said that

rently. He was also recommended and soon other people followed their not experienced bombings, the calm for deportation.

The toast to the Queen was followed for deportation. trict. For the convenience of their Britain, Brawl At Repulse Bay. An alleged neighbours, their residence was partly assault on a chauffeur of Mr Banerjee transformed into a store selling kong took 11 weeks; ten weeks by sea at Repulse Bay on the afternoon of the store of the s in size and finally emerged as the to Penang, and another week by air to whole family have shares in the shop.

presented by Mr C. A. Sutherton Russ. His relations in Hongkong include his hospital work than we do here. brother-in-law, Mr S. K. Chung, Man-

his employer and spent it with a picule members of the new Evacuation Re- whether this is the effect of the imdant arrived there in a private car, urging its revocation. They were innoticed Mr Banerjee's car, and asked formed by all officers to rethe start of the European' war, there minged and appointed. Complainant to let him have a trial at convenient for His Excellency to rethe start of the European' war, there were no casualties.

Institute it Complainant refused save ceive them.

allegedly swore at Defendant, Defen- Seeking A Vicar. The following Colony at this time of the year. dant walked away in an angry mood have been constituted a Board of but returned later, and assaulted Com- Patronage for St Andrew's Church, Following are the weekly agures of to have been affected. Doors, and but returned later, and assaulted Com- Patronage for the steps to find a new arrivals since April: April 22-28, to have been allowed Kowloon, to take steps to find a new arrivals since April: April 22-28, windows were blown in by the force and a segmentary and was eventual. Vicar for the Parish:

14,700 (Macao, 11,300, Canton and was eventual. Vicar for the Parish:

The case was adjourned to Sep-Wittenbach (representing the Archden-1,000, 2,200); May 13-10, 14,500 (11,700, of metal about three inches in con of Hongkong); Major R. J. L. 800, 2,000); May 20-26, 11,500 (9,800, diameter, together with bits of rock, Penfold (representing the Church of 100, 1,600); June 2-8, 11,700 (8,800, 600, stones, and debris, were strewn over

reported that Mr Wittenbach had, with 2,800); July 27-Aug. 3, 12,700 (9,500, The Director of Supply, with the written to the Archbishop of Melbourne 300, 1,800); Aug. 11-17, 10,300 (7,800, the chemicals and acid from the The Director of Supply, with the written to the Archushop Date of Principal 1,000, 1,500).

consent of the Governor, has delegated and to Bishop Donald Baker, Principal 1,000, 1,500).

mine.

all his powers relating to unmanufact their assistance in finding a Vicar from the remembered that about a One or two servants working in tured, semi-manufactured and manufactured. The Bishop was also asked month ago the deposit system in respect.

most extraordinary thing I found about these ports since that time. The constitution of the co

Legislation is now being drafted to make this effective and it is ex-

story told to Mr D. J. N. Anderson Mr J. F. MacGregor, Vice-Chairman, mately \$6,000 in value, covering 50 Neiherlands, at No. 532 The Peak.

of the Committee, and it was decided at the meeting that as suitable op- on Saturday evening took the opand stealing from the premises one Taylor as Hon. Secretary. The Compublic functions, the proceeds to go "organic and functional relationship Six firms have sent cheques to the between the House of Orange and

stealing two pairs of spectacles, one held next Tuesday when the result Gift to Malta. The following copies | Quips By "Argus" resarv bead bracelet, one gold cross, of the interview with the Governor of telegrams between His Excellency

The last 20 yards provided a thritling finishing burst by Benn, but he property of Lady Blackburn, at No. Jeffreys, J. F. MacGregor and W. V. Governor, Malta, date August 25.—

War Savings Certificates. It is From Governor, Malta, to Gover-

for a sister Colony,

Hongkong on my return was the lights,"

lights here is simply unbelievable."

She has enjoyed her stay here and is

said Lady Northcote to-day in the

flat he could invent a porous waterproof window pane. Because of the freezing, it is reported that there are 9,000,000

With Acknowledgments

While the cost of living is down a bit, the cost of leaving in suffer-

And of course the Government

can always tell the husbands, "You

should have thought of all this be-

And when they're at it, why not

I note from a heading that a

Then there's the lady who looks

like she was poured into her dress

The Realth expert enlarges again

on the blessings of ventilation.

Perhaps for the average Hongkong

climbing party has been surprised

at Yaumati. Don't they everest?

have a bar sinister across the pro-

ing from inflation spiral.

fore you proposed to her."

posed husbands' badge?

and forgot to say when,

idle dollars in Shanghal, Why, that in real money must be at least three and fourpence!

their eyes closed. I know a few compradores who do the same. The many impending divorces in this town are causing the lawyers to go round with dark triangles

Many wild animals charge with

under their eyes. "We had a hard road to hoe," said the husbands' chairman, as reported. Better stick to paddling

your own kazoo. While the husbands were meeting, so was the Y's Men's Club. But then the sadder and the wiser are not always the same people.

We need another \$304,000 so that a "Hongkong" bombing unit can be formed. Well, maybe a bargain could be struck with the food hawkers or the Vegetable Gulid.

ed by the singing of the Netherlands The journey from Britain to Hong-National Anthem.

Castle Peak Rd. Explosion. Mr J. H. Ruttonjee's bungalow near the The women of Penang, she sald seafront at the 12-mile post, Castle were doing a great deal of war work. Street, was summoned for assaulting Li
Tong. 44, of 116 Gloucester Road, causing him bodily harm.

Mr Tsang was a member of the KowLike Hongkong's workers, they sent Peak Road, was damaged by splinters
Ioon Tong Garden City Club and had not of supplies to Britain, and, in and water about 12.30 p.m. on particular, to the evacuees from bombAngeline and Pauline and a son, Peter.

Mr Tsang was a member of the KowLike Hongkong's workers, they sent Peak Road, was damaged by splinters to the evacuees from bomba widow, three daughters, Rosaline, ed areas. They did, however, less Friday, when a mine which had fendant, while Complainant was reThe second of the KowLike Hongkong's workers, they sent Peak Road, was damaged by splinters to the evacuees from bomba widow, three daughters, Rosaline, ed areas. They did, however, less Friday, when a mine which had hong particular to the evacuees from bombAngeline and Pauline and a son, Peter.

His relations in Hongkong include his Fewer Immigrants. Arrivals in the on the rocks and exploded with a

Colony since April have shown a fairly terrific concussion. considerable decrease, according to -Mr Banerjee for three years. On the Vain Evacuation Move. As instruct-figures obtained from Mr J. H. B. Lee, The bungalow, which is some day in question he obtained leave from ed at Thursday's general meeting, the immigration Officer, yesterday, but distance above sea level, was struck party at Repulse Bay. His master was presentation. Committee presented migration restrictions or due to sea- by a spout of water about 300 feet also at Repulse Bay, having driven his themselves at Government. House to sonal changes could not be ascertained high, created by the explosion. Mine car there himself.

Complainant said that Inter Defense as against the evacuation edict and dinance was not available.

Complainant said that Inter Defense as against the evacuation edict and dinance was not available. and bushes in the vicinity were dant arrived there in a private car, urging its revocation. And it was not However, it was learned that since singed and uprooted, but fortunately

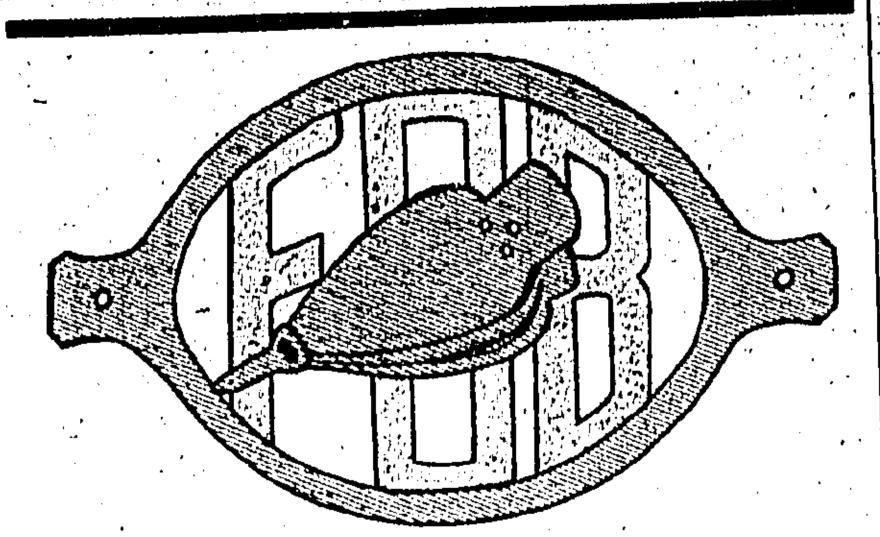
to come in and more to go out of the Although the bungalow is still. standing; its foundations are believed Kwongehowan 1,100, other ports of the explosion, while the furniture The Bishop (or his Commissary, the 2,400); April 29-May 5, 14,200 (12,500, in the rooms was saturated. Pieces

at which, states the Andrian, it was 2,500); July 21-27, 12,400 (8,600, 1,000, plaster outside the house, and some the approval of the Church Council, 1,300, 1,000); Aug. 4-10, 10,100 (8,200, inside, became black, due possibly to

> may have been one of the contributory when the concussion shook the premises, they were not hurt.

2.200): July 7-13, 11,700 (9,400, 1,000,

A meeting was held on August 19 2,300): July 14-20, 12,300 (9,200, 600, A curious thing was that all the



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# Thais Will Fight To Defend Their Soil

"The story of Thailand to-day is the story of a nation wait ing to be invaded," declared Mr Frank Gervasi, associate editor of the American magazine "Collier's," when he arrived in Singa- la point of view which Japan has not pore after spending ten days in Bangkok.

"I am personally convinced) that the Thai are going to fight," he said. "They have U. S. Buying their eyes open for what is hap-

pening. "They believe that if they fight they will be saving face, honour and dignity as men who are confident that the Axis is going to lose and that they will get a decent break

"The That will tell you," he continued, "that they would rather die on their feet than live on their knees."

Pro-British were making very serious prepara- States control soon. tions to prepare themselves. "They

with Britain and the U.S.A."

sion, Mr Gervasi said, "I think you ing film magnate." British Forces in the Middle East for past been anxious to avoid. of the British soldier.

Briton Best Soldier is fearless and even under long tion of export-revenue.

suffering never complains. He is -The danger in the Middle East, he Middle East "very soon." went on, had now passed. There "I think that Britain, nided by tractions and the sacrifices must was plenty of American material and America, has gone over from the deammunition there to augment British fensive to the offensive mentality: I supplies.

He was of the opinion that Britain he said.

# 500 British Cinemas

Britain's largest combine of cinemas, Associated British Picture Corporation (the familiar) A.B.C. halls which number over The people in Thanand, he said, 500), may come under United

According to the "Kinematograph Japan has got to modify her policy are preponderantly pro-British," Weekly," negotiations are nearly completed whereby Warner Brothers "Japan would be in for a bad time Pictures, Ltd., will buy the £4.500,if she involved herself in a conflict 000 held in shares by the widow of Mr John Maxwell, the Glasgow Speaking of Russo-Japanese ten- solicitor who became Britain's lead-

can certainly expect an attack on If this deal comes off it will be a Russla by Japan if the Germans con-tinue successfully against the Soviet" of British halls—a state of things Accredited correspondent to the which the Government has in the and Hongkong supports that warning.

three months this year-May, June The Warner company which is and July-Mr Gervasi spoke highly bidding is a British one, but represents the United States parent com-

"The British Tommy is the best Like, all, other American film soldier in the world to-day," he firms it-has large "frozen assets" in said. "I have seen him fight. He Britain because of Treasury limita-

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#### SOLUTION LIES WITH

**JAPAN** 

THE cautious tone adopted officially both in Washington and Tokyo regarding the possible outcome of the exchange of notes between Prince Konoye and President Roosevelt relevant to the existing Pacific crisis' is understandable and sensible. Much depends on how much new ground Tokyo is prepared to break; if Prince Konoye's message to President Roosevelt goes no further than the time-honoured Japanese plea for "better understanding", which means nothing more than that the United cause of international order Polish victory with 150,000 States permit Japan to go ahead with and freedom. her programme of aggression and expansion without let or hindrance, then little, if anything, can be expected from the latest negotiations.

It has been emphatically and clearly explained to Japan that the colution to the Pacific crisis lies very largely in her hands; its essential prerequisite is a willingness on the part of the Japanese Government to make concessions, the principal one of which is the renunciation of her policy of self-aggrandisement and nequisition of territory by force. It is doubtful, however, whether this in itself would be regarded by the democracies as sufficient. The political situation in the Far East created by Japan is so obnoxious to America and Britain that it cannot be indefinitely tolerated. That is, perhaps,

sufficiently taken into account. Considerable emphasis has been placed on the concern which Britain and America feels regarding threats to Malaya, the N.E.I., and the Philippines, but just as much concern is felt about the position of China as it is to-day, and manifestly, and rightly, aid from those two nations to China is going to be consistently increased. Japanese politicians who have always insisted upon the need for "realism" should take a leaf out of their own book in this respect. The situation is ncute because it is obvious that if there is to be any improvement, United States through Mr Churchill and 'President' Roosevelt have categorically declared that they intend to stand for no further nonsense on the part of Tokyo. Britain's military preparedness both in Malaya

It will be the general and fervent hope of all some people throughout the Orient that the latest efforts to avert the explosion so gravely threatening will meet with success; but Japan must not expect this to be accomplished at the expense of Chinn; there is going to be no selling truly a great guy." would be starting an offensive in the out of Chungking by either America or Britain. From now on the recome from Japan, and if- these are not forthcoming, then Japan must am very optimistic about the future," | accept the consequences, serious as they will be to all involved.



## POLAND'S HEROIC CHOICE

Jan Bolinski-Jundzill

Deputy-Director of the Polish Research Centre

when she accepted under the provisions of the Telecommunications Ordinance, 1936. Such news as bears the indication "UP" is received in Hongkong on the date of publication by the United Press Associations, who reserve all rights and forbid republications, either wholly or in part without previous are not sufficiently realised and the British received in guarantee of April 6, 1939. It is not sufficiently realised in many countries that Poland had that choice in the Spring before the War.

> Two paths lay before her. Poland, as a vassal state of Germany would then have Poland fought for a whole campaign against Russia. out longer had it not been for The other alternative was the Russian attitude. The Gerto resist the German de- man losses were very heavy and mands and espouse the it is claimed by Polish authorities of international order ties that the Nazis paid for their

She chose the path of honour and was actually the first country to resist the mighty German war ma-

#### Hopeless Odds

The military campaign courage by the entire Polish people. The siege of Warsaw will for all time serve as an example of their indomitable

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"-so It's settled, that at the approach of enemy sircraft,

we all meet here for lunch!".

enemy heavy losses.

their material possessions their city, their homes, their lives—in order to continue resistance as long as humanly

The first was to yield to of infantry, 15 mechanised divi- dozen lands. Monday he shoots German persuasion, make sions and 5,000 aeroplanes in Dutchmen, Tuesday Norwegiconcessions with regard to action." The Poles opposed this ans, Wednesday French or Bel-Danzig and the Polish Cormight with 25 divisions, one gians stand against the wall; ridor, and join the Axis. 370 planes.

Wednesday French of Belling and the Polish Cormight with 25 divisions, one gians stand against the wall; who must suffer and now there are polished as a rescal state of the polish cormight with 25 divisions, one gians stand against the wall; who must suffer and now there This was the unequal struggle

taken part in a German month. She would have held dead, 200,000 wounded, abou 700 tanks and 500 aeroplanes.

#### Vital Contribution

During the last war, when the German onslaught on Paris endangered the situation in the West, the armies of the Tsar helped by attacking West Prussia and thus contributed indirectly to the victory of the 1939 was fought with desperate Marne. So in 1939, a short but bloody campaign in Poland secured to the Western Powers a period of respite and gave them the opportunity of affecting mobilisation and making In the second week of the further preparation for war.

siege it was entirely clear that To-day, with the vivid illusthe situation was hopeless and trations of German tactics in there was no possibility of re- the battles of France and THE "percentage" favouring one diamond and finesse to the queen, pelling the invader. Neverthe- Greece before us, Poles are in-

first act of this tremendous formed. struggle,

forces of the Polish nation. Methods hitherto unexampled well known.

in the history of the civilised. Poland made her choice less the defenders of Warsaw world are, being used. The inspired by the same spirit of fully realised that every day Germans, in consequence of they fought on was causing the their failure to find "quislings" in Poland, have relied mainly on They preferred to sacrifice the Gestapo.

German barbarity was stressed by the British Prime Minister in his broadcast to the Polish nation on May 3 when he said: "Every week his (Hitler's)

The Germans had 75 divisions firing parties are busy in a are the Serbs and the Greeks to Palestine. fill his repulsive bill of executhere are the Poles."

#### Poland Fights On

From the secret press appear- it. tory is unshaken.

The incident, however, appears to confirm the contention that Hitler's Proclamation to the German Army was, in fact, a Declaration of War on Poland. . While this is going on in Poland thousands of Poles are now in Britain under the leadership of the Polish Prime Minis-

ter and Commander-in-Chief,

Hitler embarked on his mad-

march on September 1, 1939.

A special edition, issued by

the "Telegraph" late that

evening told Hongkong the

news. This is the message

that heralded the start of

. No further details are to hand.

Acting less than four hours after he issued his Pro-

It is not known how many planes appeared over War-

General Sikorski. Burning to avenge their country, keen to serve in the Allied cause, they braved great dangers, crossing frontiers and mountain ranges, passing through many countries till they spired by the thought of the part reached France, where a new played by their country in the Polish army and air force were

Destroyers and submarines of What is going on in Poland the Polish Navy escaped from now? The policy of the oc- the Baltic and reached British cupying Power is brutal and ports to co-operate with the ruthless. Their policy aims at British Navy. Many of their the destruction of the vital exploits, particularly those of the Polish submarine Orzel, are

After the French collapse determination, Government and the Polish Army arrived in Britain. Since then they have continued to play their part in the war. need not stress the part played by the Polish airmen in the battle of Britain when about 10 percent. of the planes brought down in the autumn were the victims of Polish fighters.

Polish forces also played their part at Narvik in May and June 1940 and are now fighting in the Middle East which they who must suffer, and now there reached through Syria and

The century-old Polish Nation. But always, all the days, tional Anthem begins with the words: "Poland's soul is not departed while we live to own Poland's soul lives on and no persecution can destroy

ing in Poland and from reports Poland's part in the struggle emanating from other sources, to-day can be summed up in a it is clear that the Polish spirit few words. In Poland, stubof resistance remains unim-born resistance to German oppaired by this ruthless oppres- pression. Elsewhere, an equally sion. Polish faith in a final vic- stubborn fight by the side of brave Allies.

### CONTRACTION How to Win BRIDGE By JOSEPHINE CULBERTSON-

Nothing to Lose, Everything to Gain

finitesimal, yet it is just such choices covered, let it ride? as this that mark the expert. Note The answer to this is simple when to-day's deal. South dealer.

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The K-10-4 of diamonds were outstanding. As we know, with only ten of a suit, missing the king. the proper play is to finesse, not to play for a drop. Hence, if the dlamond king is in West's hand, whether guarded or unguarded, it will make, since there is no reason to violate this rule of play. Thus, wo must finesse, but in precisely what manner? Entering dummy with a club, should we lead a low

I play over another may be in- or lead the jack and, if it is not

we consider the possible distributions of the missing diamends. If East has the king blank, the K-10 or the K-4, it does not matter what diamond we lend from dummy; we are safe in all cases. There is a possibility, however, that East holds all three of the missing diamonds, and in that, case it will be fatal to lead low to the queen. East of course, will not split his honours; he will put the four on the deuce. The queen holds but, when West falls to follow, our doom becomes plain. East still has the K-10 and no manner of play can shut out his

If we play properly, however, and lead dummy's jack, it is East who is doomed. If he covers, our ace wins and, since West shows out another finesse is established against the ten-spot. If East ducks, The bidding was identical at the jack holds. Thus, since there is seven tables in a recent duplicate nothing to lose in any case by leadgame, and in every case West ing the jack, and something to gain opened the fourth best spade. Some in one case, this selection becomes declarers went up with dummy's the "percentage" play.

queen, ethers let the lead ride to, I regret to report that, of the ... the A-10. But, since East had both seven declarers, only two led the the king and jack, this was imma- jack instead of a low diamond terial-South lost his only spade through East and, hence, only two stopper immediately. With the fulfilled their contracts. To-morrow's Hand

South dealer. the contract depended on running Both sides vulnerable.

# Britain's Power After Two Years Of Bitter Struggle

LONDON, Aug. 31 (Reuter).—In the following article specially written on the second anniversary of the war, "Reuter's" Military Commentator reviews the development of Britain's military strength during the past two years:

challenge of the Nazis, who set forth on the march to dominate the world two years ago, her military position was extremely weak. Her strength has a surple so for only been employed in small bodies, they have gained some glorious victories and have won successes which cannot be surpassed by any army. Thus our first campaign in Libya, the Abyssinian campaign enormously increased since then and the conquest of Syrin were all though it has still some way to though it has still some way to go before reaching full power.

Poland, the British Army was weak in numbers and equally deficient in the equipment necessary for war. All the territorial units lacked training.

on an insufficient scale. We had invasion. some difficulty in equipping even a token force to go to France and this was submerged by the flood which temporarily destroyed France in May OPI and June last year,

Owing to the heroic efforts of our Navy and Air Force, we rescued most of our men but lost the whole of their equipment. Norway and Greece further depleted our resources. We extricated ourselves from the

extremely critical situation, however, by the splendld fighting of our Air Force and the bold and resolute leadership of Mr Winston Churchill to foreign correspondents to-day, and also by the whole-hearted manner in which the people responded to Home Guard.

Different Picture

How very different is the picture porals. Our losses have been made railway accident at Krupkov. ing, as they do, from Iceland down down-trodden occupied countries, to the west and east coasts of Africa, along the southern shores of Asia as far as Singapore and Hongkong into the Pavific Ocean:

Though the Army as a whole has not yet stepped on the stage to play a great decisive part in the offensive strokes which it will have to do to complete our victory, it is collecting Far East Reserves

The necessity of stopping Japanese | ministrative matters. aggression is causing us to collect a third reserve in the Pacific. The secretary and a political officer. Army is getting ready to strike anywhere when the moment arrives.

When Britain took up the But though our military forces army numerically for superior and equally well, if not better, equipped. When Hitler started the war To-day our forces are reaching a by his unprovoked invasion of high standard of motorisation all over the world and tanks are arriving in good and increasing numbers.

tions all over the world equally were ed with in case of any attempt at Netherlands.

# NAZIS GROWS Partisan Warfare

MOSCOW, Aug. 31 (Reuter).— How greatly the opposition to Nazi

This opposition is finding expresthe call to arms by creating the sion in partisan warfare, acts of the Realm in Europe ... We wish her lively. sabotage and attacks on German agents, German officers and soldiers. M. Lozovsky declared that ten to-day of Britain's growing military weeks ago, the shots fired at Laval expanded till we have at least three strikes in Poland had previously been National Anthem, after which Mr J. will be admitted into the country.

good, we are powerfully armed with Ten weeks of heroic resistance by in to the London relay of the celeanti-alreraft guns, anti-tank weapons the Red Army against nine-tenths brations in England. and field artiflery which protect our of the entire German armed forces towns, factories and our many wide- and the enormous losses inflicted on

#### Bowden Transferred To Singapore

SYDNEY, Aug. 31 (Reuter),-The and massing in two directions which Australian Trade Conunissioner to are dictated by sound strategy for China, Mr V. G. Bowden, has been the location of our reserves, namely appointed official. Australian reprethese islands and the Middle East. sentative in Singapore with authority in political, commercial and ad- shell fire.

He will be assisted by a commercial this caused no damage. The United Kingdom Government have welcomed the move.

### Hollanders Celebrate Birthday Of Queen Wilhelmina

A very pleasant reception was held on Saturday night at the residence In Britain itself, the Home Guard, of the Acting Consul-General for the tory. composed of civilians, are engaged in Netherlands, Mr D. G. E. Middelburg every kind of work and have reached No. 532 The Peak, in honour of the a stage in training and equipment at 61st birthday yesterday, of Her Vital garrisons on our communica- which they must be seriously reckon- Majesty, Queen Wilhelmina of the

> There were about 70 persons present, mostly members of the local Dutch community, and some Chinese. Welcoming the guests, Mr Middelburn said that when they looked back on the last birthday of Her Majesty, which was celebrated in the same room, they could say without being over-optimistic that the future for their country looked better than ever.

"Our allies are undefeated and the spirit of resistence in the Netherlands reason why any hostilities should ing Officer. "I have orders direct is growing," he said. "It seems that continue. rule in occupied countries has in- is growing," he said. "It seems that continue. England, works at the liberation of by Soviet and British forces respecgood health and longevity. May she from foreign oppression."

million men under arms and these impossible, but now there had been H. van der Laan, President of the men are now well organised and one at the important Polish railway Committee of the Netherlands Day commanded from kenerals to cor- junction of Rzhnov and a serious of Freedom in Hongkong addressed the gathering, which later listened

Yesterday Mr Middelburg gave a ly-fling naval and air bases, stretch- Germany had raised the spirits of the short talk over ZBW to mark the

#### Tobruk Defenders' **Bayonet Charge**

CAIRO, Aug. 31 (Reuter).-In the Tobruk area one of our patrols attacked an enemy post with bayonet inflicting casualties. During the day there was a fair amount of enemy

There was one enemy air raid but

In the frontier area there was some exchange of artillery fire.

# PROBABLE PEACE TERMS FOR IRAN

Transit, Facilities Sought

SIMLA, Aug. 31 (Reuter) .- Provision that the Iranian Government should facilitate the transit of supplies and war material through Iran to Russia will, according to well-informed circles here, form part of the basis of the terms which will probably be offered to the Iranian Government shortly.

In return, it is probable that the Allied Governments will undertake to continue payments of all oil royalties, facilitate the supply of economic necessities such as food and piece-goods to Iran and, as soon as the military situation permits, will withdraw their forces from Iranian terri-

that they have no designs against soldiers stood stiffly at the salute the independence of Iran; her terri- while the population ran alongside torial integrity will be re-affirmed the Indian troops clapping and and there will also be re-affirmation cheering. that the measures to be taken are When Iranian resistance ceased, the not directed against Iran herself but Indians were eight miles from the only against the menace arising from town. R.A.F. planes droned conthe political activities of Germans stantly, overhead supporting their established in key positions through- advance. Suddenly a high-powered. out the country,

German Community It will probably be pointed out that in full war-kit. if the Iranian Government are now

the chances of war are already about | Probably the Iranian troops will Armistice," he told the British Comface with which the people of Britain creased was stressed by M. Lozovsky, to turn. On this day our thoughts have to withdraw from certain areas mander. "Our troops have already met dangers under the inspiring the Soviet spokesman, in a statement go to our beloved Queen, who at the in northern and southwestern Iran received the order to cease fire." liead of her Government in hospitable which will temporarily be occupied

The German community, with the vigilant standing in firing positions, soon return to her country, liberated possible exception of bonn fide the British Commander with his members of their Legation and a Chiefs of Staff drove into "Ahwaz, small number of technicians, will where they were received with a A toast to Her Majesty was drunk have to leave Iran, probably within salute of rolling druins and a Guard might! The Army itself has been have been impossible. Similarly to the strains of the Netherlands one week. Thereafter, no Germans of Honour.

Premier's Statement

to the Teheran Radio.

and actions have reached a clearer prisoners should be returned, stage" and would soon reach a satis- Shortly after noon, the Indian Parliament that there is no danger to Teheran or the Government and all these rumours are unfounded."

of bread instead of one, the Government will be faced with some difficul-

### KONOYE'S MESSAGE

Adjustment Wanted

TOKYO, Aug. 31 (Reuter) .--Prince Konoye's message to President Roosevelt is given prominence in the Japanese aress as the opening of diplomatic negotiations for settling the outstanding questions between Japan and the United States.

The "Chugai Shogo" declares States does not want a war in Union. he Pacific as already emphasisel by various American leaders. The newspaper expresses the belief hat as Prince Konoye's message was personally addressed to President Roosevelt, Japanese and American celations are being thoroughly re-itudied and the United States Government are giving careful study to he view that the present tendency of the European war is becoming

rapidly a world war. Continuity

The "Yom!uru Shimbun" declares that Japan's policy in the Pacific is based on the principle that Japan and the United States should not come to blows. Prince Konoye's message was intended to remove misunderstanding between Japan and the United States. Emphasis, however; is laid on the continuity of the Japanese policy.

The "Hochi Shimbun" declares that this policy remains "immutable" while the "Chugai Shogo" asserts that adjustment of outstanding questions between the two countries is "only possible when the establishment of greater East Asian prosperity is recognised."

#### Troop Train In Anhwei Wrecked

LIHUANG, Aug. 31 (Central News). -- Over 200 Japanese troops were killed and wounded as the result of a train accident on the Hwai-Nan Railway in northern Anhwei last week when a Japanese troop train was dynamited near the Shuantungchih Station after Chinese land mines.

The locomotive was overturned and completely wrecked, while four coaches were thrown off the tracks. and badly damaged. Material losses sustained by the Japanese were estimated to total over \$500,000.
Traffic on the Rallway was interrupted for three days as a result of

#### Indian Troops Enter Ahwaz

Armistice In Time

marched into southern Irhnian town Other terms are likely to be that of Ahwaz immediately following the policy of Britain and Russia is Iran's decision to cease fire, Iranian

After saluting, he asked in perfect prepared to co-operate there is no English to see the British Command-

While the Indian troops remained

The Iranian General Mohamed Shahbakhti, then formally surrendered his forces.

LONDON, Aug. 31 (Reuter).—A Pending a settlement of the statement that "by to-morrow the Armistice terms, it was decided on the situation will be satisfactorily cleared spot that (1) the Indiana should up" and a warning against rumours enter the town, remaining on one was given by the Prime Minister, Mr bank of the River Korun while Furughi, at a session of the Iranian Iranian troops returned to their Government this morning, according barracks; (2) That British hostages, mostly oil-men, should be released After stating that "our discussions immediately and (3) That Iranian

factory conclusion, Mr Furughi added forces entered the town. Line upon that "mony untrue and forged pieces line of armoured fighting vehicles, of news are current and it is even lorries and truck's packed with said that groups of peoples are leave infantry and motor cyclists crossed ing the capital. I want to assure the bridge over Karun into the town. Soviet Advance

Zenjan, which Soviet troops have He said that there was a plentiful now reached, is in the north-west of supply of bread and meat "though of Iran on the main road to Tcheran course if each person buys ten pounds about half-way between Tabziz and the capital.

Resh is about 20 miles southeast of the Casplan port of Pahlevi, which also has been entered and which is the starting point of the motor road

For a large part of the way, this road is a series of narrow bends round precipitous hillsides and long stretches have simply been blasted out of rock. An over-enthusiastic driver could easily send his car hurtling over thousand-foot drops. Without Policy Change Casplan port of Bandar Shah.

German Agents

Reports' from Tabriz show that conversations with the population in n number of villages in northern Iran, revealed that German agents had been severishly busy in those regions, especially since the outbreak of fighting on the eastern front. The agents told the villagers that the Germans had already occupied a number of points in Trans-Caucasia and also did everything possible to hat it is clear that the United work up feeling against the Soviet

Arms Imported troops that German agents had established a number of esplonage nests ind, using the trade-marks of a commercial firm, had brought in many orms and explosives. The German ments also openly sought confiden-

vithdraw its troops from Iran when the danger orising from German activity is passed."

(DY "REUTER'S" SPECIAL

CORRESPONDENT)

Aug. 31.—When Indian troops

car bearing a white flag drove swiftly up from the direction of Ahwaz and from it stepped a high Iranian officer

#### Military Salutes

MOSCOW, Aug. 31 (Reuter) .--

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# Unreliable Japanese Reports on Thailand

("Reuter's" Special Correspondent):

BANGKOK, Aug. 31.—The frequency with which the Thai Government have lately felt obliged to issue official denials of rumours has aroused widespread comment in political quarters.

recatest interest in the strength of than 16 press reports from ese allegation that British and Japanese sources have been American Ministers in Bangkok have The reports add that many interviewed Iranians state that "none of viewed Iranians" is a viewed Iranians state that "none of viewed Iranians" is a viewed Iranians state that "none of viewed Iranians" is a viewed Iranians state that "none of viewed Iranians" is a viewed Iranians state that "none of viewed Iranians" is a viewed Iranians state that "none of viewed Iranians" is a viewed Iranians state that "none of viewed Iranians" is a viewed Iranians state that "none of viewed Iranians" is a viewed Iranians state that "none of viewed Iranians" is a viewed Iranians state that "none of viewed Iranians" is a viewed Iranians state that "none of viewed Iranians" is a viewed Iranians state that "none of viewed Iranians" is a viewed Iranians state that "none of viewed Iranians" is a viewed Iranians state that "none of us doubt that the Soviet Union, which muniques or by the authorita- relations with Japan. The comloes not break its engagements, will tive spokesman while only one munique mildly rebukes another in this occasion fulfil its pledge to report from non-Japanese Japanese daily for the suggestion sources drew an official contra-

An analysis shows that that | "Absolutely devoid of truth" is in the last few weeks no less the Thai. Government commuique dismissed the latest Japanthat after Iran, Thailand will be the next victim of Anglo-American



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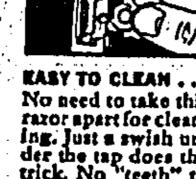
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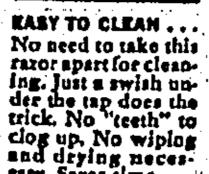
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# MONDAY MORNING COMMENTARY

HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

# Boxing Carnival To Aid Bomber Fund

Craigengower

Win Senior

Divisional Title

scored five against Civil Service

C.C. on Saturday. They last won

K. Tong Slip

Tong slipped up badly-by going down

in all rinks to Craigengower C.C. at

In the Second Division, Kowloon

ders, by Hongkong F.C. at Happy

Although still in the lead, K.B.G.C.

The Police are thus in a very

FIRST GAMES

IN U. S. NATIONAL

TENNIS TOURNAMENT

on the world famous Forest Hills

courts, scene of many an inter-

national and National champion-

ship, when Don McNelli, reigning

Men's champion, entered the second

round, while several matches in

the Women's section in which the

title is vacant, were also played.

Don McNelll beat the unseeded George Pryor 6-3, 6-4, 6-4 and was one

Frank Kovac, highly fancied for the

final, beat Bernard Welsh 6-3, 4-6, 6-1

7-5, and G. S. Lyttleton-Rogers, Irlsh Davis Cup captain and seeded player,

bent Marshall Chambers 6-3, 6-2, 1-

0-1. Gilbert Hunt, another seeded

player, beat Ronald Edwards 6-4, 7-5,

0-0, 0-2, 6-3.

penstall 6-2, 6-4, 6-3,

United Press.

8-1; Edward Dall beat Russell Bobbitt

Wood Beaten

strong challenging position.

the championship in 1936.

danger of relegation.

Valley.



Kowloon Tong K. TONG v. CRAIGENGOWER . virtually lost all interest in the Second Division bowls championship when they were trounced 5-0 by Craigengower on Saturday. Tommy Lock is here shown directing his men against J. L. Stephens (K. Tong) who was beaten on this rink 25-9.—Ming Yuen.

#### International Penmant To China B.G.C. "B" are still in the greatest

#### U.S. Navy Reduce Odds In Charity Series

Happy Valley and thus said good-bye WITH A SMASHING VICTORY that left no doubts as to their hopes of winning the shield. regards worthiness to hold the pennant, China humbled the Kowloon Football Club, the League United States 11-3 in the final of the local International Basemanaged to take two points, and are ball Tournament on Saturday. But Uncle Sam's navy lads now eight points ahead of Kowloon regained much of their lost prestige yesterday, when they Tong, each team having three more narrowed the odds in the Charity Series by beating Hongkong matches to play. 7-3 to put the score on a 2-1 base.

saw the Marauding Mohawks in a convincing manner, crossing come through 18-6 over South thereafter were scoreless. China.

and the game had the earmarks of the International pennant over matches in hand. the close struggle that had featured China's pavilion. the previous two games when, after the third, the scores were dead-

locked at 3-all. For two whole innings there was no change. Three times Hongkong went to bat without addition to their total, and the U.S. Navy U.S.A.: finally came Ahrough for victory in their-sixth-canto.-

The tars connected for five solid hits off pitcher Lau in this fatal frame, and four batters crossed the plate. And the four-run lend was too much for the All-Stars, there being no further scoring. Scores inning by inning were:

 $\dots 1 1 1 0 0 0 0 = 3$ U.S. Navy: Hitts ..... 2 1 0 2 1 5 x=11

CHINA went "to town" in decisive ball language when they romped former champion, for the honour of ncross the plate ten times in the becoming the successor to Miss Alice national final on Saturday.

Yesterday's nightcap tangle, The Stars and Stripes opened up

The five runs in the second frame are only half a point ahead of the The Charity series would have gave China a two-run lead, but the Indians-who beat Hongkong C.C. been over 3-0 had Hongkong's All- succeeding inning brought in another 5-0-and four and a half points Stars scored another win yesterday, five which set up a breeze to unfurl ahead of the Police, who have three

#### Early Forecast

New York, Aug. 30. Robert Riggs, former Wimbledon and American Singles grass court Tennis champion, and Frankle Kovacs, who has voiced an ambition to win the United States National Singles title five times in succession, are expected to fight out the American Singles cham-Runs ........ 2 1 0 0 0 4  $\times = 7$  pionship which begins to-day on the world famous Forest Hills' courts.

The United States' Women's Singles of the first to gain the second round. second and third frames of the Inter- Marble, who is now a professional .--

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## Arrangements Completed: To Be Held On Oct 3

#### Attractive Wrestling Bouts

(By "Tinker")

AT LONG LAST! The resurrection of boxing in ship in the First Division by a Hongkong has received the attention of a man who is margin of four points. capable of more than words. A show is going on. The venue—the Star Theatre, Kowloon—and the date-October 3-have been fixed.

More than that, the top names on the bill have been thosen, and others are in the process of selection.

And it's all in aid of the Bomber Fund.

Len Collins, former lightweight champion of London, is Aquatics the promoter. He has chafed for quite some time at the inactivity of the Colony, and here sees the opportunity not only of giving boxing a life impulse but of performing a dual serviceaiding the Bomber Fund as well.

When I last wrote on this subject, it was hoped that the European Y.M.C.A. would lend their basketball court, especially in view of the worthiness of the cause, but "pre-NEEDING FOUR POINTS to be mature" publicity, so I am told by certain of the First Division Bowls the one who should know, put the Championship, Craigengower C.C. inverted "V" sign on the plan.

Another excuse, which is far stronger, is that the "Y" authorities Other leading teams in the First thought that the court would be ivision also won their fixtures, damaged by the erection of a ring.

while of the bottom teams Kowloon It is cement concrete. However, the show is going on.

#### Wrestling Bouts

A LL-IN wrestling bouts are two A of the outstanding features on the programme. The first of these is between two contenders for the heavyweight title of the Punjab! -Killer Hassan and Superman Singh.

The second bout is between Tiger Singh and the Black Bomber. If you've ever seen a man tangled The Third Division Champion- in a "crocodile clutch," the short arm ship has become more open as the lock or the "rocking-chair" you know result of the smashing defeat of the thrills of gory anticipation. Kowloon B.G.C., the League lea- Every moment you expect something

#### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* Hole In One

Playing at Kowloon Golf on Saturday, A. J. Dennis holed the short 2nd in one.

to break or give-but it doesn't. The game stops short of disablement. This is a form of wrestling that in Its inception took the United States NEW YORK, Aug. 30 (UP).storm. It is still immensely The United States Men's and Women's Singles Lawn Tennis popular, but clowning and commerclalism have made it more a spec-Championships made a start to-day tacle than a sport,

However, in this event, both Killer Hassan and Superman Singh both claim to being first challengers to the Punjab title, and in this the bout promises to be one of real sport—the outcome to settle the

#### Prominent Boxers

**PUT** the wrestling does not rob D the boxing of its attraction. Several bouts will be put on, prominent among which will be a heavyweight match between Privato Moron, of the Middlesex Regiment, and A.N. Other.

It is a bout that will provide military circles with a keen interest in Gordon Mulloy, a seeded player, bent the tournament. They are, in fact, Sydney B. Wood Jr., 1931 Wimbledon the only true supporters of boxing in Champion and 1935 U.S. National Hongkong, Civilian enthusiasts have Singles runner-up to Wilmer Allison, been too few to even call a section Bryan "Bitsy" Grant, Jr., a Davis of the population, but this, probably, Bryan "Bitsy" Grant. Jr., a Davis
Cup player and formerly strong contender for the National Singles crown,
beat Ray Gladman 7-5, 6-3, 6-3, Robert
Hongkong sportsmen have never

L. Riggs, present holder of the Wim- failed in their support of worthy bledon Singles and Doubles titles and causes, and it is not anticipated that former U.S. champion, beat Robin Hip- they will fail in this, for the tourna-Miss Dorothy Bundy, one of the ment not, only increases Britain's war seeded women players, entered the effort, but it may mean much towards 6-3, 6-3, while Miss Helen Bernhard sporting needs. bent Mrs Madge Vosters 6-1, 6-2.

LONDON, Aug. 30 (Reuter).-

King's Success

#### Military-"Y" FOR ST LEGER Gala To-morrow King's Fifth Success

With the Hongkong Area Swimming Championship barely a fortnight away, to-morrow night's The Newbury course betting on the Inter-Club, Swimming gala be-St Leger classic, which will take tween the European Y.M.C.A., the place on September 26, found Combined Royal Artillery, the Chateau La Rose Joining Mazarin Fortress Royal Engineers, as joint favourite at 0 to 1 with 8 Middlesex Regiment and the Comto I and others offered. bined Small Units including the Royal Corps of Signals, in the "Y" Sanlo and Saint Blazio, which were bolh quoted at 100 to 1 at the last callpool at 8 p.m. should prove very over, have now been scratched. interesting.

Changes . The programme is more or less the same as that of the quadrangular gala of August 21 except that one or two changes have been made. The Medicy relay will be of teams of six, but each swimmer will only cover 23 yards instead of 50, while in the plunging and diving, two competitiors instead of one will perform. A new event is the six men relay of 600 yards, each covering six lengths of the pool.

King's Success

National Kecord

His Majesty the King's Big Game, by Bahram out of Myrobella, won a thrilling race to-day for the valuable Champar Stakes; by a short head, from Lord Derby's Watling Street, by Fairway out of Ranai, with Lord Rose-berry's Hyperides, by Hyperion out of berry's Hyperides, by Hyperion out of gala when Miss Ho Wai-king, place.

Trained by Fred Darling and ridden

#### FOR THE SECOND TIME within a week, Chan Chunnam, Colony distance aquatic

Chan Chun-nam

Again Breaks

440 Record

champion, has broken his own record for the quarter mile. This was during the Lai Tsun-University gala at the Chinese Y.M.C.A. on Saturday night, Chan negotiated the distance in 5 mins 19.8 secs, which is almost six seconds better than his record time of 5 mins 23.6

\_University\_were\_without\_the\_service of Charles Huang, and though competition was spirited and close; the Lai Tsun stars were ever that bi better and won by the wide margin of 28-8 points.

Second highlight of the evening was Chan's effort in the 50 yards. He took first place in 26.4 secs. which is also the second time within a week that he has been below 27 seconds.

50 yards-1, Ng Chun-man (H.K.U.); 2. Lau Tai-ping (Lai Tsun); 3. Tsang Cheong-ming (Lai Tsun). Time 26-2/5

440 yards.-1, Chan Chun-ngm (Lal Tsun); 2. Yau Sal-kwan (Lal Tsun); Kenneth Lo (H.K.U.). Time 5 mins 19 Women's 120 yards individual medicy (Members).—1, Miss Ko Mul-ling; 2, Miss Sa Wai-ying; 3, Miss Tsong Fung-kwan. Time 1 min 49 4/5. 100 yards back-stroke,-1. Poon Wingkal (Loi Tsun); 2, Lou Ylu-ting (Lal Tsun); 3, Luk Man-wal (H.K.U.). Time min 14 1/8. Women's 50 yards (Members).—1. Miss Ko Mul-ling; 2, Miss Mok Sum-lan; Misa Cheung Oi-lin. Time 32 3/5.

220 yards breast-stroke,-1, Yau Saikwan (Lai Tsun); 2, Hul Kwan-lun (H.K.U.); 3, Tsnng Cheong-po. Time '3 120 yards medley relay.-1. Lai Tsun (Lau Ylu-ting, Tsang Cheong-ming and Lau Tai-ping); 2. Hongkong University (Hul Kwan-lun, Kenneth Lo, and Ng Chun-man). Time 72 2/5. Mixed members' 50 yards handicap.—
1. Ko Wai-hung; 2, Lo Shui-fook; 3,
Misa Mok Sum-lan. Time 38 sees. Women's 50 yards breast-stroke (Mem-

bers).—1, Mins Tsang Fung-kwan; 2, Miss Ko Mul-ling; 3, Miss Lo Po-kam. Time; 100 yards breast-stroke (Members' handleap).-1. Kong Ylu-ming: 2. Tsang Cheong-po; 3, Ko Wal-hung. Time I min 100 yards.—1. Chan Chun-nam (Lai Tsun) and Lau Tai-ping (dead heat); 3, J. C. Fenton (H.K.U.). Time 62-2/5 sees.
160 yards relay.—1. Lai Tsun (Tsang Cheong-ming, Yau Sai-kwan, Chan Chunnam and Lau Tai-ping); 2, Hongkong University (Au Kwok-kee, Hul Kwan-lun, J. C. Fenton and Ng Chun-man).

Time 1 min 28-1/5.

#### Coming Galas S.C.A.A. Meet To-morrow

South China Athlelic Association will hold their fourth swimming gala of the season at their Pavillon, North Point, to-morrow at 7.30 p.m. sharp.

Following is the programme:-Men's 200 metres free-style relay (Open);
Women's 50 metres free-style; Men's 100
metres back-stroke; Children's 100
metres free-style; Men's 50 metres fancy
swimming; Men's 400 metres free-style; second round of the Women's Singles the establishment of a boxing clique Middle Training Class 100 metres froewhen she beat Mrs Norman Barber who will cater to one of the Colony's style; Women's 400 metres free-style;

#### C.C.S.C. Sports

Hongkong Chinese Civil Servants' [4] gala of the season at North Point on | h Saturday next, September 6, at 7.30 | H The prize have been donated by Mr Kwok Hee-leding, and the programme

Men's 50 metres back-stroke, Men's 100 metres, free-style, Men's 200 metres breast-stroke, Women's 50 metres breast-stroke, Children's 50 metres breast-stroke, Beginners 25 metres free-style, Members 100 metres relay, Inter-department 150 metres medley relay, Obstacle swimming (50 metres), Water-

#### Ho Wai-king Breaks National Record

youthful star of the North Point six lengths of the pool.

Trained by Fred Darling and ridden youthful star of the North Point There will be no entrance fee, but a collection box will be at the door. Afth win of the season, having on three distance, the former record occasions been successful as a being for the British Prison, occasions been successful as a being 83 secs, established by Miss ers of War Fund.

Myrobella colt in its early racing days. Young Sau-king in 1985,

Rifle Shooting

# Police "A" Set New Record In Small Bore League

POLICE "A" established a new record aggregate score of 383 against the 22nd Fortress Company, Royal Engineers, in the First Division (Open sights) of the Hongkong Rifle Association's Miniature Rifle League during the period ending on August 24.

The Police Reserve team, who recorded victories over both the 40th Fortress Company, Royal Engineers, and the Dockyard Rifle Club, retained their leader-

The Hongkong Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve "A" team having failed to shoot in 11 of their matches, and being unable to fulfil the required two-thirds of their match engagements, have been withdrawn from the League, and the results of all their matches have been removed from the records.

The 12 leading marksmen in the Open Sight League for the first half of the

A.S.I. P. H. Thong (H.K.P.R.) 12 03.36
Sgt O. T. Leong (H.K.P.R.) ... 7 01.60
Sgt Puran Singh (H.K.P. "A") 12 01.0
Cpl Naranjan Singh (H.K.P. 'A") 10 90.8
Sgt J. R. Wall (H.K.P. "A") 12 90.0 Pie Butcher (R. Scots H.Q.) Coy W. O. F. Hollison (RAF. "A") 12 88.0 Cpt Charan Singh (H.K.P. "B") 5 00.6 L/Cpl G. Pemberton (R.E. Stanley)
Jem. Hasham Khan (Punjab "E") 8 88.25
L/Cpl E. Allo (R.E. Stonecutters) 4 88.0
N.K. Lakhan Singh (Rajput "A") 4 88.0

Latest Results Second Time In One Week matches held during the week ending FIRST DIVISION—(OPEN BIGHTS)

Collinson R.C. "A" 304 v. R.A.F. "A" 331.
5th/7th Rajput "C" 335 v. Royal Scots
"C" Coy "A" 345.
Royal Scots "B" Coy 350 v. Middlesex 2nd/14th Punjab d'D" 332 v Royal Scots "D" Coy "A" \* Willorton Sth/7th Rajput "D" 332 v Middlesex the final, 2nd/14th Punjab "E" 322 v 2nd/14th H.K. Police "A" 383 v 22nd (F) Coy R.A.F. "A" 344 v 5th/7th Rojput "A" Tied, 2nd/14th Punjab "A" 327 v 2nd/14th

Rajput "D" 322.

22nd (F) Coy R.E. 315 v Royal Scots Middlesex "E" Hajput "C" 330,
Iloyal Scots H.Q. Coy "A" 310 v Royal
Scots "B" Coy 366,
Middlesex "A" 339 v 2nd/14th Punjab
"D" 200,
Royal Scots "C" Coy "A" 328 v †H.K.
Police "A" 366,
40th (F) Coy R.E. 327 v †H.K. Police
Reserve 376,
40th (F) Coy R.E. 330 v 5th/7th Rajput
"B" 333, Middlesex "E" 348 v 2nd/14th Punjab Middlesex "D" .....

H.K.V.D.C. "B" 309 v Royal Scots "D' H.K.R.N.V.R. "B" 310 v Middlesex "F" Middlesex "G" 270 v R.E. (Stonecutters) Middlesex "H" 239 v R.E. (Collinson)

Collinson R.C. "B" 195 v R.E. (Stanley) APERTURE SIGHTS H.K. Police "A" 387 v H.K. Police R.A.F. 389 v †H.K. Police Reserve "A"

## Marvin Ward Wins Second

OMAHA. Nebraska, Aug. 30 (Reuter) .- Marvin Ward, 1939 winner, to-day secured his second United States Amateur Golf Championship title when he beat Patrick B. Abbott, in the 36 holes final, four up and three to play. Ward was four up at the end of the arst 18 holes, and there never seemed to be any doubt as to the outcome of the match at that stage. Abbott was

U. S. Amateur Title

runner-up in 1938 and so reached his second final. In the semi-final round Marvin Ward bent Bobby Riegel, of Texas, nine and eight, while Abbott beat Ted Bishop, of Massachusetts, by one hole, both matches being over 30 holes.-Reuter,

### Second Win For Collings and Low

T. B. LOW AND R. K. COLLINGS scored their second victory in Happy Valley summer golf competitions Middlesex "B" 313 v 5th/7th Raiput when they won the Second Summer Foursomes yesterday, beating G. E. Willorton and T. J. Price 6 and 5 in

Royal Scots "C" Coy 378 v tILK. Police Reserve "B" 348. 1Shot at 20 yds. \*Cords not returned. LEAGUE STANDINGS

FIRST DIVISION-OPEN SIGHTS H.K.V.D.C. "A" 341 v Royal Scots H.Q. H.K. Police R. .... 14 14 0 0 4993 28 Coy "A" 329.

2nd/14th Punjab "B" 259 v Middlesex Sth/7th Rajput "A" . 18 11 0 2 4408 22 5th/7th Rajput "E" 12 11 0 1 4096 22 5th/7th Rajput "E" 12 11 0 1 4096 22 2nd/14th Punjab "E" 13 Middlesex "B" .... 13

Riffe Club 333.

SECOND DIVISION

H.K.R.N.V.R. "B" ... 7 0 0 1 2007 12

H.E. (Stonecutters) ... 6 0 0 0 2006 12

R.S. "C" Coy "B" ... 7 5 1 1 2250 11

H.Q. Coy "B" 209.

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11. A.F. "B" 313 v Royal Scots "C" Coy RA.F. "B" 

R.E. (Collinson) ..... 0 0 0 6 731 APERTURE SIGHTS
ILIC. Police "B" ...... 7 6 0 1 2086 R.A.F. 7 0 0 1 2070

H.K. Police "A" 7 4 0 3 2648

R. Scots "C" Coy 7 3 0 4 2370

H.K. Police R "A" 7 2 0 5 2567

H.K. Police R "B" 7 0 0 7 2506

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# Premier Of Burma To

LONDON, Aug. 31 (Reuter). morning on the charge of breach of .The Premier of Burma, the Hon. Mr U. Saw will shortly visit Britain. He will convey personally to the Government and people of Britain a message of goodwill from the Government and people of Burma.

since 1939 and Premier since 1940, requested to bring the letter into the Shortly after becoming Premier, he Colony. issued a statement outlining the polley of his Ministry, stating that he would try to secure the greatest by post did not pass through the cengood for the greatest number and he appealed to all classes and communities in Burma to unite in the common task.

Burma's geographical position gives her a great and growing importance the Chinese.

Burma's Premier will be accompanied by Mr U Sin Tut, senior official of the Civit Service in Burma, as the adviser.

Major Bascball

## Cardinals Still Ahead Brooklyn

THOUGH SCORES were mulllated, "United Press" states that St Louis Cardinals and Brooklyn Dodgers were successful in Sunday's baseball programme, and, fighting for National League honours, they maintain those positions in the League table. Scores were:

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Ballery Tobin; Berres. Battery.-Brown, Melton; Llvingston, 

Philadelphia ... B 11 4
Battery—Podganjy, Pearson; Warren. Remainder of the scores were unread-

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Philadelphia and in the Comment of t

Battery,-Marchildon; Hayes. Boston ..... Johnson, Ryba; Peacock, Ended in the seventh owing to dark

Tebbetts. Cleveland 7 7 Battery.—Denn. Milnar; Hemsley. Chleago .... Smith. Appleton: Dietrich.

3t Louis 7 0 Battery.—Galchouse, Kramer, Motter;

LEAGUE TABLES National

Philadelphia .... American New York

Chleago ....

Cleveland .....

Detroit .....

Philadelphia 56 St Louis 56

Washington ..... 53

#### Stowaway Russian To Return To S'hai

Eugen Pavhorich Hahalkin, 21, fault one month's hard labour. unemployed Russian of no fixed abode, appeared before Mr G. T. Lowry at Central Magistracy this morning on a charge of being a destitute at the Passport Inquiry Office on August 30.

Sgt G. F. Youe, prosecuting, said the Defendant was a stowaway from Shanghai and arrived in the Colony on August 16. Defendant had been in gnot for 14 days for being a stowaway. On coming out of prison he was found to be destitute.

Defendant was ordered to be detained in the house of detention until ferred on Admiral Taussig simulho could be sent back to Shanghai. | taneously with his retirement.

#### MAIL FROM BANGKOK

Compradore Fined

Tsang Chung, assistant compradore on board a Norwegian ship, was on remand before Mr A. N. Macfadyen at Kowloon Magistracy this Defence Regulations by conveying a letter into the Colony other than by

Sergeant C. Medley stated that about 6.45 p.m. on August 29 he stopped a sampan on which Defendant was a passenger. A search revealed a letter in Defendant's person. The letter was addressed to a bank. Ap-Mr. U Saw has been a Minister mail in Bangkok and Defendant was

> The Sergeant added that letters conveyed into the Colony other than sors and the Censorship Department had complained about the practice. He asked his Worship to take a serious view of the case. Usual Practice

in the Far East. As a neighbour of on behalf of Defendant, stated that headquarters at the Standard China she has for some time past Defendant had been the compradore Oil cottage on the top of the been the main channel through for the past four years. He underwhich goods from abroad can reach stood that it was a practice for the hill on the south bank of the compradore to bring the letters from Bangkok to avoid delay. The letters conveyed bore Bangkok stamps and were placed in a bag which was scaled. The Compredore handed the bag to the Censorship Department on arrival here.

On August 28, Defendant look the bag to the Department but owing to his absent-mindedness left one letter behind. The next day when he was taking the letter to the Department, he was stopped by Sergeant Medley. The contents of the letter were inoffensive.

Defendant, who was on bail of \$500, was fined \$100.

# Forged Will

Claimant Wins Case An echo of a case in which

Chinese was convicted of uttering forged will knowing it to be forged, bombs, but with apparently little and on which probate had been ob- damage. tained, was heard before the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor, 'at the Supreme Court this morning when Lau Kul-yeung, a farmer, of No. 17 Lower Lascar Row, first floor, asked for declarations that the al leged will was null and void and for revocation of the grant of probate. The Hon, Mr Leo d'Almada, Jnr., instructed by Mr S. Ng Quinn, appeared for Plaintiff, and Defendant Lui Fook-wing, was absent and unrepresented.

Lul Fook-wing was found guilty at the May Criminal Sessions of uttering a forged will, and was sentenced to seven years' hard labour. His Lordship made declarations that the will propounded by Defendant was a forgery, that the grant of probate to Defendant be revoked. that the said grant was null and void and that Lau Mau died intestate. He also made an order that letters of administration of the estate of Lau Mau be granted to Plaintiff upon the completion of certain formalities. Costs of the action "for what it was worth," said his Lordship, before Mr G. T. Lowry at Central were against Defendant.

#### Sad Sequel To Over-Payment

Expensive Silence Tsun Li-teng, 40, owner of a metal shop at No. 932 Canton Road, Kowloon, showed no surprise at the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank on Saturday when he presented cheque for \$405 and received \$4,058. The cheque was drawn in his favour by the Chen Hung Kee Metal Works for goods supplied. Some hours later, when the error was discovered by the shroff of the Bank, the Metal Police found out that the report was Works were contacted, the Police in- a bogus one and that Defendant had formed and Tsun was arrested in been employed by Complainant for 312 Yaumati with the money on him. These facts were stated to Mr H. 473 G. Sheldon, K.c., at Central Magistracy, this morning, by Det.-Ser-geant W. Willison, when Tsun pleaded guilty to the larceny of \$4,193 by friends of Defendant. (heing the amount over-paid) from the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank. He said that he knew the shroff had made a mistake but did not draw his lattention to it. Defendant was fined \$250 or in de-

## Distinguished Sailors Retire

WASHINGTON, Aug. 31 (Reuter). -Two distinguished naval careers story of the dispersal of enemyended to-day with the retirement of barges which has been given out over policy. He returned as editor Rear Admiral Joseph Taussig, hero over the enemy controlled radio shortly after Lord Northeliff's passing of the Peking Relief Expedition in should be treated with the greatest in 1922. 1900, and Rear-Admiral Hayne Ellis, reserve it is pointed out in authorita- His long-time deditorship of the former Commander of the Atlantic live quarters who add that it might famous old "Thunderer" has been Squadron.

The rank of Vice-Admiral is con-

S. Embassy Staff Bombed In Chungking

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" CHUNGKING, Aug. 31 (UP). -Members of the American Embassy, including the Amparently there was a lot of delay of bassador, Mr Clarence E. Gauss, had narrow escapes during today's savage Japanese air raid on Chungking.

Mr Gauss, together with the First Secretary, Mr John Carter Vincent, the Second Secretary, Mr Everett Drumright, Third Secretary, Mr John S. Service and other members of Mr C. D'Almada, pleading guilty the staff, were working at their Yangtse, when a bomb fell 150 yards away.

Although the house was damaged, nobody was injured, despite the fact that no air raid shelter is available at this spot. Members of the Embassay staff

went to the cottage which is in the so-called "safety area" in order to escape the anticipated interruptions caused by the raids. Mission School Damaged

Bombs destroyed the home of Mr. Arnold Vaught of Chicago, who is head of the Friends' Mission, and also wrecked the Mission school, classrooms, dining rooms and dormitory; however, there were no casualties. Mr. Vaught's home and mission schools in Chungking were previously destroyed on May 4, 1939 by Japanese

Approximately 200 Japanese bombers raided the Szechwan areas to-day, of which 27 attacked Chungking and the western suburbs this

Japanese Story

According to a Shanghai message, the Japanese Central China Fleet | headquarters claimed that smashing lattacks were carried out on important Chungking-bases as well-as at-Hengyang, Changsha, Langshuitan and Chuchow in Hunan and Lingchwan

Naval bombers scored direct hits on the headquarters of the Ninth Route Army in the Changsha district. Lanchow was very severely bombed while on Friday, Slanyang in Shensi was raided and on Saturday Chungking was heavily bombed.

#### LOW SALARIED **ASSISTANT** IN TROUBLE

Wong Yan-fong, 26, shop assistant of Tsun Hing Rubber Shop, 32 Connaught Road, Central, was charged Magistracy this morning with (a) reporting a false armed robbery to the Police on August 30, and (b) embezzlement of \$1,335.22 from Lau Tal-ming, 45, Manager of the shop, on August 29. Det.-Sgt W. G. Morrison pro-

seculed.

It was stated that Defendant collected the money from different shops on behalf of Complainant. Defendant went to Macao on August 20 at 5.20 p.m. and returned to Hongkong that same night after having lost all the money in a gamble. The next day about 5 p.m. he made a report to the Police that he had been robbed of the money by four armed men near Peel Street. Later the three years at a salary of \$8 per

month plus board and lodging. Although the original sum of money was not recovered Complainant had been paid the full amount

Det.-Sgt Morrison said that Complainant was not pressing the case. Defendant was sentenced to six weeks' hard labour on the first charge and six weeks on the second, the sentences to run consecutively.

#### ENEMY TRICK NEWS

Invasion Barges

LONDON, Aug. 31 (Reuter).—The Times" from 1912 to 1919, leaving well be a piece of propaganda,

dispersed were those along the French and Dutch-coasts

#### Casey Warns Isolationists Defeat Without Invasion

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" MUSKOGEE, Okla. Aug. 31 (UP). —The Australian Minister, Mr Richard Casey in a speech in this isolationist belt to-night warned that i if Hitler wins the war, the democracies will lose their economic freedom without the necessity of line reached a total of \$2,508,482,78, the being invaded.

Mr Casey addressed the annual convention of the Oklahoma Post of Mr. H. W. Frazer (Auxillary Fire the American Legion and said that Australia now has under arms such n mass of men as would total six millions if Australia's population equalled that of the United States He asserted that strong bodies of these men were stationed in Malaya, Singapore and Australia Itself be-

"We have developed our munitions making to a stage where we are making for ourselves practically all [ manifold requirements in plane. manufacture and ammunition equipment which is essential for modern warfare," he declared.

#### H.K. Stock Market

The following quotations were issued on the Hongkong Stock Market this morning:

TOWARD.
ILK. Banks \$
H.K. Banks £
TH.K. Banks (H.K.) £
Chartered Banks £944
Mercantile, A. & B. £23-34
Mercantile C. £
East Asia \$
INSURANCES
Canton Ins. \$230 b. &
Union Ins. \$
China Underwriters \$1
H.K. Fire Ins. S 185 b. & :

SHIPPING Douglas \$......120 sa. Steamboats \$......81/2 sa. Shell (Bearers) s/- ....51./101/2 n. DOCKS ETC.

S'hai Dockyards \$......, 180% n. MINING 

Lands 4% Debentures ....9714 sa. S'hal Lands Sh. \$.......2034 n. Humphreys \$...... 7 sa. H.K. Realties \$......31/2 b. & sa. Chinese Estates \$......100 sa. UTILITIES 

Peak Trams (old) \$.....7 sa. Peak Trams (new) \$.....31/4 sa. China Lights (old) \$.....6.35 b China Lights (new) \$.....1.65 b. H.K. Electrics (old) x. rts. . . 22 sa. H.K. Electrics (new) \$....211/4 sa. H.K. Electrics Rts \$..11.10 b. & sa. Mação Electrics \$.......181/2 sa. Sandakan Lights \$......1234 sa. INDUSTRIALS

Telephones (old) \$...23 4 b. & sa. Cald: Maeg. (Ord.), Sh. \$....45 n. Cald: Macg. (Pref.), Sh. \$ ...35 n. Canton Ices \$...... 1 n Cements \$......15.10 H.K. Ropes \$......9.35 sa.

STORES, &c. Dairy Farms \$, ..... 18.80 b. & sa. Lane Crawfords \$.........6.45 sa. Sinceres \$......2½ sa. Wing On (H.K.) ......39 sa. Wm. Powell, Ltd. x.d. . . . . . 11/2 sa. COTTON MILLS

S'hai Cotton Sh. \$......305 n. MISC. H.K. Govt 3½% (1934) ....99 sa. H.K. Govt 31/2% (1940) ....98 n. and Aid to Russia Ch. Govt 5% 1925 G\$Bds. . . 42 n. resolution urging Constructions (new) ...80 cts sa. Vibro Piling \$............7.20 sn. Masrmans Inv. (Lon.) s/- 6/3 n.

#### Noted Editor To Retire

retire as editor of "The Times" of London this month. He is to be succeeded by Barrington Ward, Assistant Editor since October, 1927, Mr Dawson was editor of "The

Mr Geoffrey Dawson\_eplans to

after a quarrel with Lord Northeliff

notably independent on occasion and The barges supposed to have been he often has been recognised as an authoritative spokesman of the Government-point-of-view--

## Monthly Bomber Donations

Bomber Fund Included a number monthly donations. Many of donors have now been giving regularly each month for over a year. The Fund following being the intest list of dona-H.Q.R.A. Swear Box ..... \$ 7

Service Pay) In Joving memory of "Grannic" In laying memory of "Grannie" Woods (D. & N.) ..... Victory V's per Miss Naylor (second donation) Rowloon City "Lap Sap" (fifth donation) ..... sides those who are in the Middle in memory of our beloved Mother -Alleen and Dorls Woods ..... Mr A. K. Dimond (in loving memory of Maude Fitz-Stubbs

Woods who passed away on Sept. Supreme Court Bomb (seventeenth donation) ..... Mrs Hogg ..... P. S. S. Chicken Feed (wockly donation) .....

The following monthly denations to the Bomber Fund were also received or Mr O. E. Bertin ..... Mr Stuart Longfield ..... "N. M."
Mr Kong I Sun J.P.

Mrs E. J. Grant ...... Mr R. C. Jones Misses Alleen & Dorls Woods .... ORTHOPAEDIC CENTRES

The following is a list of subscriptions received to date for credit of the British Fund for Relief of Distress in China, Hongkong and South China Branch, for Orthopaedic Centres in Free China: Previously acknowledged, \$106,700.76 Kowloon Tong Carden City Association (being half proceeds of raffle at Club's Supper, Dance on 20/5/41), \$30; Mr Na Manu, \$10; Mr Kwok Lam-po, \$60; Mr Kwong Tze-ming, \$16; Dr T. J. Hua, \$20; Through Messrs F. Fongkey'& Co., \$147,50:

EMERGENCY REFUGEE COUNCIL The S. C. M. Post has received Refugee Council: Sympathisers (114th Contribution) \$10 The Hongkong Refugee and Social Welfare Council acknowledges the following denations received during August: Students of Lingnan University for taking over garden crops, \$27.44; Kwong Sang, Hong. \$500; Mrs B. J. Ruttonjee. \$20; O.C. c/o S. C. M. Post, \$5; Mr and \$10; H.R., \$25; Mrs Y. H. Poon, \$23.50; Mrs L. W. H. Poon, \$20; Foreign Auxiliary to them and especially America to (contribution towards office salary), | \$12.50; Mr W. H. Li, \$2. Donations in kind during the month of

Fifty "Bowl of Rice" tickets, Mr Leong Ful: 400 pieces of firewood. Sandakan Chamber of Commerce: freightage on firewood, Measts Jardine, Matheson and Co.: 40 "Bowl of Rice" tickets, Mrs Rose Tan: 500 pieces of firewood, Union Firewood Co., Sandakan; freightage on all firewood, Messrs Jardine, Matheson and PRISONERS OF WAR FUND The S. C. M. Post has received

following donation to the British Prisoners of War Fund "in memory of our beloved Mother," from Alleen and Doris Woods; \$5.

The S. C. M. Post has received the following donation to the Soup Kitchens Appeal Fund "in memory of our beloved Mother," from Alleen and Doris Woods:

The Director of Medical Services gratefully acknowledges the receipt of a generous gift of \$250 from an anonymous donor, who has kindly undertaken to give the initial equipment of, and to maintain for one year, an additional Kindergarten class for 30 children in the Morrison Hill Camp School. The S. C. M. Post has received the

following donation to the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals in memory of "Big Boy," from Alleen and Dorls Woods: \$5, DONATIONS WAITING

Donations for the following Organisations await collection at the office of the S. C. M. Post; Lord Mayor's Fund for the Relief of Air Victims; B.W.O.F.; Emergency Refugee Council; British Prisoner of War Rollef Fund; Food Kitchens Fund; St Vincent de Paul; S.P.C.A.

# SYDNEY, Aug. 31 (Reuter).

-The Congress on Friendship passed a Constructions (old) \$..... 1.60 sa. Soviet talks in which the Pacific and the Middle East are involved and also an exchange of Am-Marsmans Inv. (H.K.) s/- 1/6 sa. bassadors and military, naval and air missions with the Soviet.

#### EXCELLENCE OF INDIAN TROOPS

KARACHI, Aug. 31 (Reuter).—"If I were given the choice of troops for my battery, I would choose Indians every time," said a senior artillery officer in a tribute to Indian Soldiers. This officer has seen service in France, the Western Desert, Greece and Syrin. He said that British troops were magnificent in their dogged tenacity; Australians excelled as shock troops; but Indians for allround adaptability were the troops he preferred above all others, adding that their sense of discipline was really wonderful.

If they were told to hold a post, -they-would hold it to the last man. -

# Nazis Hope To Crush September

(By "Reuter's" Special Correspondent)

MOSCOW, Aug. 31.—With weather conditions deteriorating especially in the northern and central fronts, the Germans are clearly determined to achieve, if not a decisive at any rate a crippling blow to the Russian army, or at least to Russian industrial power within the next month.

Can they succeed? The last | weeks have shown that the Germans have discovered the Red Army to be a much tougher proposition than they had expected and it may generally be zBW, 355 metres (845 k.c.) and 31.45 said that the Russian Army's metres (9,520 kilo-cycles) fighting power is not substantially impaired.

According to Russian figures, Ger-man casualties amount to 2,000,000 which is only a little over what the Germans themselves admit when say- of 845 k.c.'s and on Short Wave from ing that their losses are only one third of the Russian "five million casualties." The latter figure is 6.0 Indian Programme. clearly absurd.

Change of Policy

Faced with the Russian Army's Op. 63.
toughness and genius in cluding Cortot, Thibaud and Casals (Instr. destruction and encirclement; the Trio). German policy appears to have switched over during recent weeks from the primary objective of des- | Organ. troying the Russian Army to the objective of greatly weakening the Russian war potential. True, the mentary. Germans, have failed to reach the Moscow industrial area but they have Post. captured a major part of the industry and iron ore mines on the right Dnieper bank,

Owing to the destruction carried out by the Russians, they will be if any, but they at least have de- Memorles; Vocal and Orchestralprived the Russians of part of the Medley of James Tate's Songs. Ukraine industry and particularly iron ore, without which the coal and pig-iron industry east of the Daleper! will be partly slowed down.

#### Alternatives

It is true that there are other iron ore deposits as alternatives to those at Krivoirog and also electro-power alternatives to the Dnieper hydroelectric plant, but the Red Army's industrial sources are still great so long as the central Russian industrial area is not affected.

It is probable that every conceivable effort will be made by the Russians to safeguard these areas in which the Germons are clearly interested, judging from their recent thrust at Gomel. Leningrad

Considerable importance is also attached to Leningrad, not only from the military and morale point of view but also industrially. The Germans are aiming at the capture of Leningrad but as this will prove an extremely arduous task, it is probable that they will be satisfied for the present if they are able to besiege following donation to the Emergency | the city and thus curtail the industrial Even this would not be a fatal

blow to the Soviet war production, but nevertheless it would be serious From all this, it is clear that Britain and America must reckon durand impediments in the Russians Industrial production and it will be make to make up for it.

In the Colony of Hongkong, inluding-the-Island, Kowloon and New Install—the first assemblies in the Territories, during the week ending same plant at Dearborn where fifteen Saturday, August 23, there were al- years ago they manufactured tritogether 96 traffic accidents as the motored planes of which it is under-"Bowl of Rice" ticket. A Friend. result of which one person was killed stood that 57 are still hauling freight and 26 persons were injured. in Central America.

49-Feminine auffix

A Variation of Variety: "Pencil Please"

Broadcast by ZBW on a Frequency

6.0 Indian Programme. 0.45 Closing Local Stock Quota-

6.47 Schumann-Trio In D Blinor,

7.18 Viennese Orchestras. 7.48 Sandy MacPherson at the

8.0 London Relay-The News. 8.15 London Relay-War Com-8.25 London Relay -- Listening

Examination of Points in Daily German Propaganda.

8.30 Programme Summary. 8.32 Old Time Variety. Orchestral—The Gay Ninetics unable to make much use of them, Waltz Medley; Vocal-Billy Merson

> 8.50 Plano Ducts by Rawlez and Landauer. 9.0 Local Time Signal and An-

nouncements. 9.02 This week's programmes. 9.05 Studio-"Pencil Please." A Variation of Variety produced

by Leonard Starbuck. 9.45-10.0 News in French (on Short Wave only). 9.45 Light Orchestral Selections. 10.0 London Relay-The News and

10.15 Dance Music. 11.0 London-"News From Home" by Howard Marshall. 11.15 Close Down,

Yews Commentary,

### Ford Hastens With War **Orders**

Huge New Factory SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" DETROIT, Aug. 31 (UP),-It is disclosed that Ford Motors are months ahead of schedule and intend to begin production of heavy bomber planes even before the new 915-acre plant near Ypsilanti, Michigan, will be ready. The Ford Company holds ing the coming months with losses \$480,000,000 worth of Government orders for Consolidated BT-24-D bombers at the rate of 75 monthly plus sub-assemblies for 100 more; however, as a result of production

> soon be producing 280 complete bombers monthly. The Ford Company is beginning to

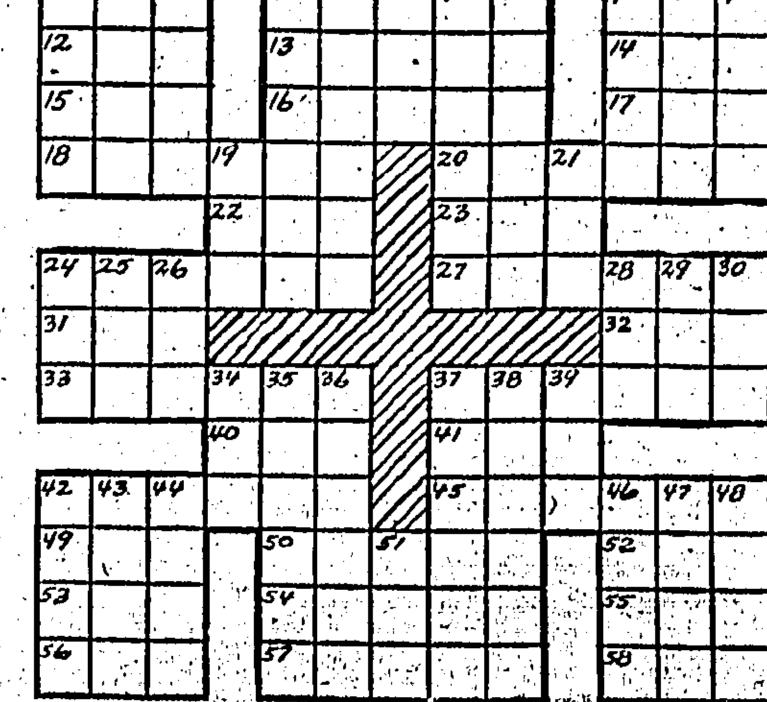
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changes it is believed that they may

## Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS TREVIOUS PUZZLE 1-Health resort 4~Straighten 9-Supply with 4. Ocnus of thorns 12-Beize, suddenly (col. 5--Cives name of 6-Man's name 13-Felt concern 7-Placed one inside 14-More than Aumiclently 6—Awimmer of 15-Metrie measure of area 9-Tinlest division 15-lower in 1-Kind of plant estimation D-And also 17-Mystic ejeculations 21—The whole 24—Casual occurrence 25—In poor health 18-Royal residence .20—Hoboca 22-Of no importance 23-45 Inches 24-Girl's name (poss.) 27-Mislead mind of 11-Boverage resembling 32—Stennum 11-Give pleasure to 60-Betoken 82-Poured 40-Kind of toke 53-By way of 41-Bense optically 64-Uniket for carrying 43-Moslem sanctuaries for fallhful 65-An well as 45-Beat for riding

20-Confederate general -29-Loud noise 4-Anthropoid 15—Kind of shrub id-Cluarantee 7-Came forth 9—Theodore 3-Kind of dye 44-- Understand at 'Willien music 46 -- lieury vehicle 56-Old times 57-Wiful 47-Narrow path 18-AF YOU ART Bl—Qo (dini.)



Germany itself.

Inr revolts and the fall of the war-

The leaflets asked, "Who needs this

entaclysinle war? It is needed by a

band of enrecrists who want to

Nazi Admissions

BERLIN, Aug. 31 (UP).—The Germans have admitted new heavy

Russian counter-attacks, involving

are reported to be planting enormous

Attempts To Cross Dnieper

MOSCOW, Aug. 31 (Reuter),-

The Germans have made repeated

attempts to cross the Dnieper at one

point and have been thwarted after

two days' efforts to place a pontoon

This is announced in a supplement

The Germans who had assembled

large tank and infantry forces near

a town on the right bank of the

Dnieper also lost 50 tanks, six anti-

nireraft batteries and a large num-

Communique

The following is the text of the com-

munique issued by the Soviet In-

formation Bureau at 11 p.m. G.M.T.:

fought the enemy along the whole

front. Our air force dealt concen-

trated blows at the enemy panzer

troops, infantry and artillery and

destroyed enemy aircraft on their

"In The course of August 20, 25

German aircraft were destroyed in

aerial combats and on enemy aero-

R.A.F. Raid Tripoli

And Destroy Ships

FROM PAGE ONE

tons outside the harbour on fire from

the stem to the funnel and two other ships of 5,000 tons each in the har-

bour burnt out and another alight at

two points. Fires at the base of the

Karamanli Mole were still burning.

was made on a ship at Juliana Mole

and a cloud of white smoke was seen

Aerodiome were machine-gunned.

and several fires were started.

"Aircraft concentrated on Berka

"Aircraft of the Fleet Air Arm

bombed store dumps north of Bardla

"During the night of August 29-

30, aircraft of the Fleet Air Arm

"Other aircraft of the Fleet Air

Arm located a merchant ship of

8,000 tons escorted by destroyers off Sieily and attacked the convoy.

The merchant ship was believed to

have been hit by a torpedo.

"Yesterday Blenheim aircraft of

the R.A.F. bombed the power houses

of munition factories of Licata and

obtained a number of direct hits on

each target. Clouds of smoke were

Abyssinia

African Air Force aircraft bombed

and machine-gunned enemy fortified

positions at Deberech on August 29

observed on the forts, huls and

our aircraft is missing."

"From all these operations, one of

DESERT WAR

**BOILING UP** 

FROM PAGE ONE

Regent consists of men of great

experience and influence, who in the

past always co-operated with Britain.

Raschid All's revolt is regarded as a

regrettable blot on Iraq's past

relations with their ally, Britain,

One of the first acts of the new

government was to ask the Italian

Embassy to leave and their depar-

ture meant the liquidation of a

centre of intrigue and insidious pro-

paganda, which was always liable to

Palestine

Palestine is extremely calm. Arabs

and Jews seem to have forgotten

making a great effort at war produc-

Muslim opinion in Syria, Palestine

and Iraq fully sympathised with the

necessity of the Allied action in Iran,

countries would have been seriously

menaced if German intrigues in Iran

had been permitted to continue

Undoubtedly there will be general

The death of Sir Bljay Chand

Mohtab, Maharajadhiraja Bahadur

of Burdwan is announced to-day,

thus removing the head of the senior

Hindu house in Bengal and one of

The Maharaja travelled widely in

Europe and had hold a number of

Indian legislative offices, and was

one of India's delegates to the Im-

perial Conference in London in 1926.

India's most distinguished citizens.

Calcutta, Aug. 30.

pleasure at the satisfactory result

of the Allied action in Iran.

bigger events and the country

which is best forgotten.

cause mischief.

much longer.

trenches.

"In Abyssinia, R.A.F. and South

l after the attack.

Benghazi-

"At Benghazi, a low-level attack

dromes. We lost 24 aircraft."

"During August 31, our troops

MOSCOW, Aug. 31 (Reuter) .-

new armies on the central front and

that each has been crushed.

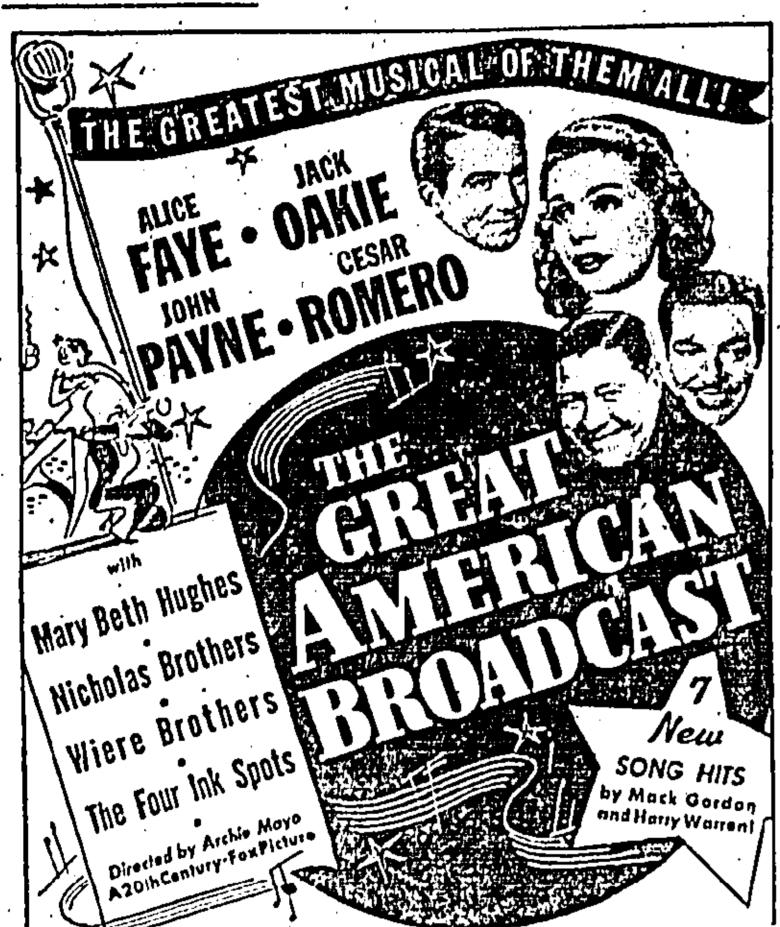
turned up in a single day.

in position.

ber of pontoons.

SHOWING TO-DAY

At 2.30, 5.30, 7.45 & 9.45 P.M.

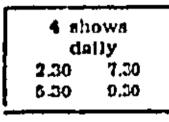


Also Latest CINESOUND REVIEW SINGAPORE " 66 DEFENSE OF

And Twentieth Century-Fox Movietone Newsreel JUST RECEIVED BY CLIPPER

First pictures with British Army under siege at Tobruk, Libya and ROOSEVELT-CHURCHILL MYSTERY CONFERENCE IN MID-ATLANTIC

NEXT CHANGE -"CHARLIE CHAN AT THE WAX MUSEUM" with SIDNEY TOLER and Joan Valorio A 20th Century-Fox Picture

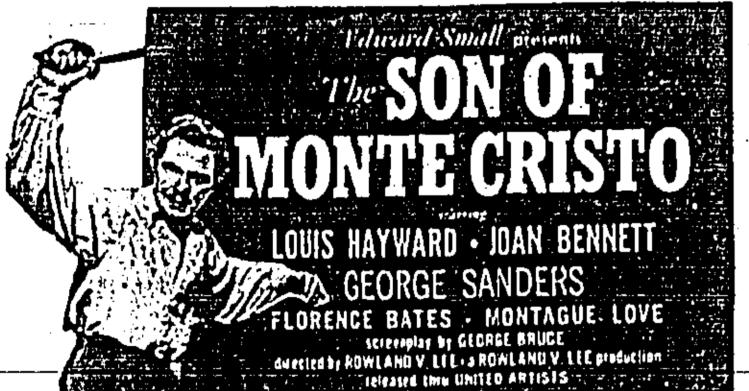




ROAD

LAST FOUR TIMES TO-DAY

HE SLASHES HIS WAY TO FAR CREATER FAME! The story of the son of a daring father who risks a fortune and life itself to save the beautiful woman he loves from the man she hates.



FOR TO-MORROW AND WEDNESDAY THERE'S MAGIC IN MUSIC

WILL ALLAN JONES . SUSANNA FOSTER MARGARET LINDSAY . LYNNE MATINEES: 30c, 40c. EVENINGS: 30c, 40c, 55c, 70c.

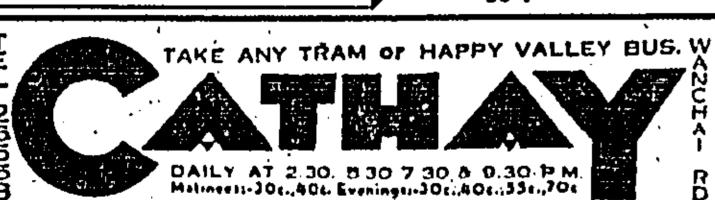
TO-DAY & TO-MORROW

BING CROSBY **MARTHA** RAYE

"DOUBLE OR NOTHING"

A Paramount Picture with Andy Devine \* Mary Carlisle **NEXT CHANGE ALEXANDER** KORDA presents **ELEPHANT** BOY

You'd never believe it unless your own eyes told you it was



One of the 'TEN BEST' Pictures of the Year ! See the New Academy Award Winner, James Stewart, . giving the Best Performance of the Year in Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's Uproarious Laugh Hit I

SHOWING TO-DAY



RIDES AGAIN"

Screen Play by Donald Ogden Slewart

Directed by GEORGE CUKOR . Produced by JOSEPH L. MANKIEWICZ



SHOWING TO-DAY



A CHINESE PICTURE IN MANDARIN

#### CHANNEL ALIVE WITH PLANES

FROM PAGE ONE

there were no British bombers over

Cities Singled Out On the three remaining six nights, Mannhelm was heavily attacked.

There was a particularly heavy raid on Cologne on August 26 while Dusseldorf and Dulsberg were the main objectives on the other two

Subsidiary night attacks were also carried out on air ports at Boulogne, Le Havre and Ostend. No single day passed without the

British Air Force making daylight sweeps, one of which was remarkable for a low level attack on Rotterdam. Numerous daylight attacks were

also made against shipping. The heavy offensive nature of these activities is shown by figures of losses—the Germans lost 21 and the British 73, of which 43 were bombers, 27 fighters and three not specified. Busy Day

LONDON, Aug. 31 (Reuter).-To-day was one of the busiest days for the Fighter Command since the Battle of Britain last autumn. As the first strenk of dawn was spreading across the sky, Spliffres were on their way to France, states the Air Ministry news service. From then until dark the offensive was kept up without slop.

Many pilots were, over enemy territory more than once in the day, but there were few combats. Enemy fighters seen were nearly always in a minority and they mostly avoided British formations.

One Canadian sergeant, however, found himself in a dogfight with several Messerschmitts, one of which he shot down. He also damaged

another. Twice during the morning, bombers were safely escorted to and from their targets as far inside France as London is from the south coast. Other fighters took a force of bombers to the Brest area, where an important agrodrome was successfully attacked. In the evening, British fighters were again over France in

#### Flying Fortresses

evening by Flying Fortresses. A ing plans from every aspect. captain who in civil life was a sheep was thick cloud in banks on the lourney over the North Sea, with thing like £220,000,000. occasional clear patches through which the sea could be seen. The

Bremen," he said, "where the cloud London. was much lighter. We had a perfect view which resembled a long but lumpy leg sticking out towards the sea. Our bombs fell in the middle of the port. There was no fire from anti-aircraft guns, and we saw no fighters. In fact, it was a peaceful Sunday afternoon."

Congratulations -LONDON, Aug. 31 (British Wireless).—The Prime Minister has addressed to the Air Officer Commanding-in-Chief of the Bomber Command, Air Marshal Sir Richard Ways. Peirse, the following tribute to the Group which has been engaged in time.

recent daylight operations: objectives are beyond all praise. The lords. charge of the Light Brigade at Bala-

#### Peace Or War In The Pacific

FROM PAGE ONE

United States attitude toward forcible measures aimed at acquiring territorial and economic hegemony. The Alternatives

officials are most hopeful that the nuthorised to refuse payment in the negotiations would be successful in following cases: permitting the resumption of trade, ending the current economic impasse | habits; and enabling the Konoye civilian Government to retain its power. A failure in the negotiations would result in the overthrow of the Cabinet and the establishment of a completemilitary Cabinet which woud be likely to move precipitately either to the south or north, possibly bringing the Pacific crisis to a head sometime in September.

They said that although Japan had surrounded the previous negotiations with the closest secrecy, the importance attached to them was demonstrated by the fact that the Cabinet informed the Emperor constantly of the developments.

The Japanese navy is at present supporting the Conservatives such as Baron Hiranuma in the Cabinet, however, it is said that the Japanese are convinced that if the present negotiations fail there will be no alternative except a military Government which would act very swiftly either to the north or south depending on the developments of the Russo-German war and that the navy would then be forced to support an army expansion programme.

Only A Gesture SHANGHAI, Aug. 31 (UP) .- The Japanese army's organ, "Sin Shun Pao" in an editorial regarding the Roosevelt-Nomura talks to-day stated that they were "only a gesture with which the United States expects to win concessions from Britain and Russin during the coming tri-power conference. Under no circumstances will Japan accept a worthless return from five years of the China war in which she has sacrificed Japanese blood for the sake of a co-prosperity sphere. We do not favour such conferences which are likely to elienate Japan from the Axis."-Wang Ching-wei's "Central China Daily News" said; "If negotiations

break down, peace in the Pacific by

any other means is practically im-

## Worship Of Fuhrer Not Enough

News has just reached London o the strangest religious revival in his-

It is taking place in Germany, gloom of millions of unfortunate where, since the Nazi ideology took people." root, religious persecution has flowered. But the Nazi leaders are finding that the terror of air raids cannot be overcome without the consolution of religion, and in consequence a number of concessions have been granted along the Dnieper, but they insisted

Reports state that Goering has The German-Finnish encirclement ordered the lifting of restrictions on of Leningrad is said to be tightening going to church after air raids, and against the obstinate resistance of the Catholic priests may now go out Russians following the capture of during an Alert to administer the last Vilpuri by the Finns. The Russians

Goerlag has also informed the Ger- minefields around Leningrad's outer man Episcopate, through the Church | defences and 1,100 mines have been Ministry, that further orders will be issued with a view to aiding priests in carrying out their religious duties during raids.

Jew-Baiting Relaxed

Some time ago it was stated that Jew-baiting had been relaxed in the Reich with a view to securing muchneeded additions to war workers. The boastful Nazl lenders, it is to the Soviet communique. It says learned, have found it extremely dis- that in this attempt, the Germans tasteful to have to admit that their lost nearly 1,000 sappers and infanregime has not completely obliterated try killed. from the minds of their people the need for something more than adoration of the Fuhrer to sustain them in the ever-increasing fury of the

### £200,000,000 Deal To Buy City Of London

R.A.F.'s raids.

The City Corporation may pay £200,000,000 to secure municipal ownership of the citadel of Capital. If the deal goes through the City of London will be the first city in Britain to pass into public owner-

Like all other nunicipalities, the Bremen port was bombed this City Corporation is viewing rebuild-The rateable value of "the square farmer in Australia, said that there mile" is about £8,300,000. This means a capital site value of some-

So complicated and involved are the vested interests concerned in temperature was minus 55 Centigrade. City ownership that the Corporation may vote for outright purchase to "We followed the river down to complete its scheme for a new Opportunity Missed

Once before-after the Great Fire in 1666—the City Corporation missed. its opportunity. Sir Christopher Wren drew up plans for a beautiful city with broad

straight streets. But Wren's plan was pushed on one side because of the City's rush to rebuild, and because of the insistence on the maintenance of their rights by owners of the land. That is why the City is still inter-

sected with narrow twisting alley-It is to be hoped that the Corpora- bombed Gerbini Acrodrome (Sicily) squadrons of the Bomber Command tion will not be side-tracked this and carried out a machine-gunning

Equally it is to be hoped that the "The devotion and gallantry of deal will not put extertionate milthe attacks on Rotterdam and other lions into the pockets of ground land-

#### clava is eclipsed in brightness by Test-Of-A-Good-Little Hun

Proof that in spite of the victories | seen and debris was thrown high gained by Hitler many Germans into the air. Considerable damage refuse to accept the Nazi yoke is was done. afforded by the recent publication of new Nazi decrees which have been designed as part of a system to put pressure on "unloyal" Germans. Details of the scheme are:-

Every German family shall get and again yesterday, direct hits being what is described as "education help" for the third and subsequent These Americans left Japan before | children. This "help" will be paid the Roosevelt-Nomura conversations; by local commissions in every comhowever, they said that Japanese munity, the same commissions being

1. If the family has anti-social 2, if the child suffers from here-

ditary diseases: 3. If the child is racially unclean; 4. If the child refuses to obey the orders of the Nazl party; and 5. If the parents—especially the father-refuse to serve the interests of the Reich and the German nation. This means that practically only those parents who are members of the Nazi party will receive the much advertised "education help."

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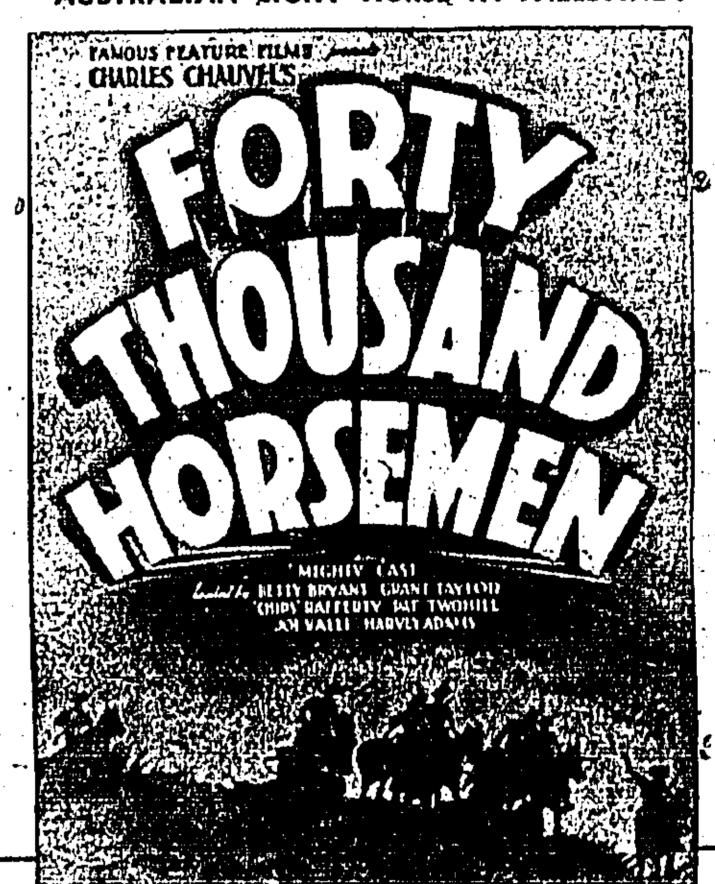
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Under European Supervision, Shortage of Man-Power

#### In German Industry LONDON, Aug. 31 (Reuter).—Fresh evidence of a German labour shortage is revealed in a report that "German workers.

their quarrels under the stress of have been obliged to exchange tools the rifle, and the Jewish population of Warsaw will be found suitable work in German industry under supervision." Another journal suggests the Apart from 1.400,000 war prisoners.

prohibition of smoking in public employed in German agriculture and conveyances because it is not industries, about the same number since it was well understood that the always possible to clean them of civilian workers have been resince it was well understood that the siways possible to clean them cruited from all European countries, whole security of the Near East "as the personnel must be used except. Turkey, according to an elsewhere."\

A recent decree also shows that on April 1 last. the Germans have been obliged to recruit tubercular patients and have relaxed measures against the spread statistics, the number of Italian of Infectious diseases in factories. workers in Germany has been of infectious diseases in factories. Faced with the mounting threat of American war production and deliveries, Germany, according to the Reich Trade Commissioner, has be- Germany have increased from 91,000 come "the world's largest labour on April 1 last to 223,000 to-day, and market and is endeavouring in every Belgian workers from 87.000 to way to solve the problem of labour 190,000.

War Prisoners

official German statement published

Since then, according to Italian doubled and now approaches 300,000. The German Minister of Labour announced that Dutch workers in

The system whereby these workers are drawn from the various countries The following figures show how is officially described as "voluntary."

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